

# LANSING QUILTS PRESIDENT'S CABINET

## ACCUSED BY WILSON OF UNSURPUNG HIS POWERS DURING RECENT ILLNESS

### PRESIDING OVER CABINET MEETINGS BY SECRETARY LEADS TO FINAL BREAK

Trouble in Official Family Has Been Brewing Since Peace Conference in Paris When the Secretary of State Almost Resigned—Correspondence Between Two Executives Leads to Final Decision.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Robert Lansing ended his career as secretary of state today after President Wilson had accused him of usurping the powers of president by calling meetings of the cabinet during Mr. Wilson's illness.

Mr. Lansing denied that he had sought or intended to usurp the presidential authority. He added, however, that he believed then and still believed that the cabinet conferences were "for best interests of the republic" because of the president's condition and that he would have been derelict in his duty if he had failed to act as he did.

As the record stands, Mr. Lansing tendered his resignation and Mr. Wilson accepted it. The resignation was offered, however, only after the president, under date of February 7, had written asking if it were true that Mr. Lansing had called cabinet meetings and stating that if such were the case he felt it necessary to say "under our constitutional practice, as developed hitherto, no one but the president has the right to summon the heads of the executive departments into conference."

Replied Last Monday  
Mr. Lansing answered two days later—last Monday—saying he had called the cabinet conferences because he and others of the president's official family "felt that, in view of the fact that we were denied communication with you it was wise for us to confer informally together on \* \* \* matters as to which action could not be postponed until your medical advisers permitted you to pass upon them."

The secretary concluded by saying that if the president believed he had failed in his loyalty to him and if Mr. Wilson no longer had confidence in him he was ready to "relieve you of any embarrassment by placing my resignation in your hands."

The president replied last Wednesday that he was "much disappointed" by Mr. Lansing's letter regarding "the so-called cabinet meetings." He said he found nothing in the secretary's letter "which justifies your assumption of presidential authority in such a matter" and added that he "must frankly take advantage of your kind suggestion."

Cabinet Meeting Called Off  
Before this letter was written, the day for the regular cabinet meeting—last Tuesday—had passed and the correspondence disclosed why the cabinet did not meet. On the same day that he received this letter from the president, Mr. Lansing announced that he had written other cabinet officers that he would not call any more cabinet conferences for the present, but no explanation was offered. But the differences between the president long pre-dated the first cabinet call by Mr. Lansing last October 5, seven days after Mr. Wilson took to his bed. They began at the peace conference in Paris as Mr. Lansing disclosed in his final letter to the president under date of yesterday and had continued since that time, one of the chief differences being over the government's attitude toward Mexico.

### POLK WILL BE MADE SECRETARY AD-INTERIM

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Frank L. Polk, under-secretary of state, will be made secretary-ad-interim tomorrow to act until President Wilson appoints a successor to Robert Lansing. This is expected in the very near future.

Several names were suggested tonight in administration circles but official circles admitted they had no definite information as to who the president had in mind for the place.

Chief among those suggested was Mr. Polk, but his friends say that he will not accept the appointment if offered him by the state of his health. In fact, he has long had it in mind to resign from the state department, a course which his physicians have urged upon him.

Mr. Polk entered the state department as counselor on September 16, 1915, succeeding to the post Mr. Lansing held before becoming secretary. He was made under-secretary of state on June 23, 1919, under the legislation passed by the last congress creating the office. He served as acting secretary of state during the time Mr. Lansing was taken by the American government so far as has been announced.

While a few members of the cabinet have conferred with Mr. Wilson since he was taken ill, it was said tonight that Mr. Lansing had not seen him and that whatever business he had had with the president had been carried on daily by correspondence. Before the president left on his western trip, however, Mr. Lansing, after his return from Paris had a standing engagement to see him daily and he visited the white house each noon to discuss foreign and other affairs.

Third to Quit Over Differences  
Secretary Lansing is the third cabinet officer appointed by the president to quit after differences with the president.

William Jennings Bryan was the first. He resigned on June 9, 1915, because of a disagreement with the president over the handling of the diplomatic correspondence with Germany growing out of submarine warfare. The second was Lindley M. Garrison, secretary of war, who gave up his post on February 19, 1916, because of differences with Mr. Wilson over the question of independence for the Philippines.

Mr. Lansing was appointed secretary of state ad interim after the resignation of Mr. Bryan and served until June 23 of the same year when he was made secretary. He has not announced his plans for the future but is expected to return to the practice of international law.

Mr. Lansing entered the state department in 1914 as counselor after having represented the government on a number of diplomatic missions and arbitration commissions. These included service as associate counsel in the Bering Sea arbitration in the early nineties, counsel before the Bering Sea claims commission in 1906, solicitor and counsel for American representatives on the Alaskan boundary tribunal in 1903, and counsel in the Atlantic fisheries arbitration about ten years ago.

Mr. Lansing has written several poems and short plays. With the passing of Mr. Lansing there remain only five members of Mr. Wilson's original cabinet, and one of these, Secretary Lane, will retire March 1. The others are Secretary of the Navy Daniels, Secretary of Labor Wilson, Postmaster General Burleson and Secretary of the Treasury Hoover.

Mr. Houston originally was appointed secretary of agriculture. Besides Mr. Lansing, Mr. Bryan, Mr. Garrison and Mr. Lane, the men resigning have been Associate Justice McReynolds of the su-

## Correspondence Between Wilson And Secretary of State Lansing

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The state department issued the following statement:

The White House,  
Washington, 7th Feb. 1920.  
My Dear Mr. Secretary:—  
Is it true, as I have been told, that during my illness, you have frequently called the heads of the executive departments of the government into conference. If it is, I feel it my duty to call your attention to considerations which I do not care to dwell upon until I learn from you yourself that this is the fact.

Under our constitutional law and practice, as developed hitherto, no one but the president has the right to summon the heads of the executive departments into conference and no one but the president and the congress has the right to ask their views or the views of anyone of them on any public question.

I take this matter up with you because, in the development of every constitutional system, custom and precedent are of the most serious consequence, and I think we will all agree in desiring not to lead in any wrong direction. I have therefore taken the liberty of writing you to ask you this question, and I am sure you will be glad to answer.

I am happy to learn from your recent note to Mrs. Wilson, that your strength is returning.

Cordially and sincerely yours,  
WOODROW WILSON,  
President of the United States.

Washington, Feb. 9th, 1920.  
My Dear Mr. President:—  
It is true that frequently during your illness, I requested the heads of the executive departments of the government to meet for informal conferences.

Shortly after you were taken ill in October, certain members of the cabinet of which I was one, felt that, in view of the fact that we were denied communication with you, it was wise for us to confer informally together on interdepartmental matters and matters as to which action could not be postponed until your medical advisers permitted you to pass upon them. Accordingly, I, as the ranking member requested the members of the cabinet to assemble for such informal conference; and in view of the mutual benefit derived the practice was continued. I can assure you that it never for a moment entered my mind that I was acting unconstitutionally.

Ever since January, 1919, I have been conscious of the fact that you no longer were disposed to welcome my advice in matters pertaining to the negotiations in Paris to our foreign service, or to international affairs in general. Holding these views I would, if I had consulted my personal inclination alone, have resigned as secretary of state and as a commissioner to negotiate peace. I felt, however, that such a step might have been misinterpreted both at home and abroad and that it was my duty to cause you no embarrassment in carrying forward the great task in which you were then engaged. Possibly I erred.

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or contrary to your wishes and there certainly was no intention on my part to assume powers and exercise functions which under the constitution are exclusively confided to the president.

During these troublous times when many difficult and vexatious questions have arisen and when in the circumstances I have been deprived of your guidance and direction, it has been my constant endeavor to carry out your policies as I understood them and to act in all matters as I believed you would wish me to act. If, however, you think that I have failed in my loyalty to you and if you no longer have confidence in me and prefer to have another conduct our foreign affairs, I am, of course, ready, Mr. President to relieve you of any embarrassment by placing my resignation in your hands.

I am, as always,  
Faithfully yours,  
ROBERT LANSING.

The White House,  
Washington, D. C., 11 Feb. '20.  
My Dear Secretary:—

I am very much disappointed by your letter of February 9th, in reply to mine asking about the so-called cabinet meetings. You kindly explain the motives of these meetings and I find nothing in your letter which justifies your assumption of presidential authority in such a matter. You say you "felt that, in view of the fact that you were denied communication with me, it was wise to confer informally together on interdepartmental matters and matters as to which action could not be postponed until your medical advisers permitted me" to be seen and consulted. But I have to remind you, Mr. Secretary, that no action could be taken without me by the cabinet and therefore there could have been no disadvantage in awaiting action with regard to matters concerning which action could not have been taken without me.

This affair, Mr. Secretary, only deepens a feeling that was growing upon me. While we were still in Paris, I felt, and have felt increasingly ever since, that you accepted my guidance and direction on questions with regard to which I had to instruct you only with increasing reluctance, and since my return to Washington I have been struck by the number of matters in which you have apparently tried to forestall my judgment by formulating action and merely asking my approval when it was impossible for me to form an independent judgment because I had not had an opportunity to examine the circumstances with any degree of independence.

I therefore feel that I must frankly take advantage of your

kind suggestion that if I should prefer to have another to conduct our foreign affairs you are ready to relieve me of any embarrassment by placing your resignation in my hands, for I must say that it would relieve me of embarrassment, Mr. Secretary, the embarrassment of feeling your reluctance and divergence of judgment, if you would give your present office up and afford me an opportunity to select some one whose mind would more willingly go along with mine.

I need not tell you with what reluctance I take advantage of your suggestion or that I do so with the kindest feeling, in matters of transcendent importance like this, the only wise course is a course of perfect candor where personal feeling is as much as possible left out of the reckoning.

Very sincerely yours,  
(Signed)  
WOODROW WILSON,  
Hon. Robert Lansing,  
Secretary of State.

The Secretary of State,  
Washington, D. C., Feb. 12, '20.  
My Dear Mr. President:—

I wish to thank you sincerely for your candid letter of the 11th in which you state that my resignation would be acceptable to you, since it relieves me of the responsibility for action which I have been contemplating and which I can now take without hesitation as it meets your wishes.

I have the honor, therefore, to tender you my resignation as secretary of state, the same to take effect at your convenience. In thus severing our official association, I feel, Mr. President, that I should make the following statement which I had prepared recently and which will show you that I have not been unmindful of the continuance of our present relations was impossible and that I realized that it was clearly my duty to bring them to an end at the earliest moment compatible with the public interest.

Ever since January, 1919, I have been conscious of the fact that you no longer were disposed to welcome my advice in matters pertaining to the negotiations in Paris to our foreign service, or to international affairs in general. Holding these views I would, if I had consulted my personal inclination alone, have resigned as secretary of state and as a commissioner to negotiate peace. I felt, however, that such a step might have been misinterpreted both at home and abroad and that it was my duty to cause you no embarrassment in carrying forward the great task in which you were then engaged. Possibly I erred.

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### GIRARD POLICEMAN KILLED BY PRISONER

Guy Garland Shot and Instantly Killed by Prisoner Whom He Had Placed Under Arrest—Man and Companion Escape on Freight Train.

Girard, Feb. 13.—Guy Garland, who was serving as special policeman here tonight, was shot and almost instantly killed on the public square at about 7:30 o'clock, by a man whom he had just placed under arrest.

Harland lived only a few moments after the fatal shot was fired and was unable to give any information as to why he made the arrest of two men, one of whom fired at him as he searched the other.

The dead man was thirty three years of age and unmarried.

SUFFRAGE CONVENTION  
OPENS IN CHICAGO

Will Demand Immediate Ratification From Governors of States Who Have Not Ratified—2000 in Attendance

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Governors of the various states which have not ratified the federal suffrage amendment will receive telegrams demanding immediate consideration and prompt action by the legislatures as a result of action decided upon today at the opening of the fifty-first annual convention of the National American Woman Suffrage association.

Delegates to the convention numbering more than two thousand and a delegation of women of the country can participate in the presidential election. Particular attention was directed by the convention against Governor Hart of Washington, the only equal suffrage state where no move has been made to call a special session.

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the association, was directed by the convention to send to Governor Hart the following telegram: "Washington is now the only enfranchised state which has not taken action toward ratification of the federal suffrage amendment. Thirty-five ratifications are assured in the immediate future. The nation has been informed for many years that the advantage of the government suffrage. It therefore looks to you to call an immediate session of your legislature and once more announce Washington's endorsement of woman suffrage by ratification of the federal amendment."

The announcement of the calling of a special session in Oklahoma was greeted with cheers by the delegates. Officers of the association believe it will only be a few days before the necessary thirty-six states have acted in favor of the suffrage amendment.

Officers of the association following the meeting declared that a telegram received from President Wilson and read during the session would put a stop to efforts being made by woman politicians to swing the convention delegates over to their candidates for the president.

MINERS OPPOSE LABOR  
SAVING MACHINERY

Charge By Operators Causes Warm Controversy Before Coal Strike Settlement Commission

Washington, Feb. 12.—Charges by operators that mine workers in the central Pennsylvania field have opposed introduction in the mines of labor-saving machinery precipitated a warm controversy today before the coal strike settlement commission. Emphatic denial of the charges was made by representatives of the mine workers in that field, and John L. Lewis, president of the miners took occasion to declare that the national organization had been maligned by false reports that it had opposed the interests of the public in obstructing the installation and development of economic mining devices.

The bituminous mine workers, Mr. Lewis asserted, "are and always have been willing to cooperate with operators in the development and greater use of mining machinery. They only ask that they be permitted to share equitably with the operators in the benefits derived therefrom."

### SENATE OPPOSES SALE OF FORMER GERMAN LINERS

Several Resolutions Prepared to Block the Auction

### PAYNE CALLED BEFORE BODY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Vigorous opposition to shipping board plans for the sale of thirty former German passenger liners, broke out in the senate today, expressed sharply critical debate and presentation of several resolutions proposing to block the action. While the debate was in progress other developments came thick and fast.

John Barton Payne, chairman of the board appeared before the senate commerce committee to explain the whole affair and after hearing him the committee through its chairman, Senator Jones of Washington, reported to the senate that no immediate action was necessary. No action accordingly was taken.

At the White House a letter was made public concerning the proposed sale sent by Mr. Payne to the president remarking on the "vicious but characteristic attack against the shipping board emanating from a certain quarter regarding the sale of the ex-German passenger ships."

In the District of Columbia supreme court William Randolph Hearst of New York, appearing as a taxpayer filed an application for an injunction to prevent the proposed sale of the ships at auction Monday. The court issued an order requiring the board to show cause Monday why a temporary injunction should not be issued.

Chairman Payne assured the committee and his assurances were repeated to the full senate that the board would merely receive bids Monday for the vessels and would report the results to the senate before acting. He met charges that the sale of the vessels to a single purchaser for \$28,000,000 was intended with a flat denial, but repeated his own conclusion that the sale of the vessels to American private owners at the present time was to the advantage of the government.

Senator Ashurst, Democrat, of Arizona, later brought the debate to a head by offering a concurrent resolution directing the shipping board not to sell the ships except under regular bidding after three months advertising. He declared the board's action would result in the sale of the vessels at \$200 a ton and more to private interests in this for around \$50 a ton. The possibility that they might go to English ownership was strongly intimated by opponents of the immediate sale.

Discussing fully with the committee consideration prompting the board's decision to proceed with its attempt at sale, Chairman Payne restated the arguments briefly outlined in the letter to the president which as given out at the White House follows:

"In view of the vicious, but characteristic attack against the shipping board emanating from a certain quarter, regarding the sale of the ex-German ships, may I restate the simple facts: "(1)—The ships are to be sold to Americans, only, and will sail under the American flag, will serve the routes which, in the opinion of the shipping board will best serve American commerce and will always be available to the government in case of any national emergency. "(2)—None of the ships will be sold to England or to any foreign person, corporation or country and will not be sold to a single company or a single interest but to as many companies as possible. "(3)—Before deciding to offer

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### WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

Temperatures		The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Friday were:	
Jacksonville, Ill.	28	37	°
Peoria	34	34	°
St. Louis	26	28	°
New York	36	38	°
New Orleans	54	60	°
Chicago	37	38	°
St. Paul	38	38	°
Detroit	29	34	°
Omaha	4	24	°
Minneapolis	4	24	°
Helena	18	20	°
San Francisco	54	58	°
Winnipeg	14	16	°
Jacksonville, Fla.	62	66	°

### RAILROAD MEN SUSPEND DEMANDS FOR INCREASE

Will Await Return of Property to Private Ownership

### WILL REPLY TO WILSON TODAY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Negotiations of the Union Railroad Employees for an increase in pay practically were suspended tonight until the railroad properties again are in the hands of their owners. There remained only one point to be settled, the Union reply to his statement given them earlier in the day and this likely will be sent to the White House tomorrow morning.

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### MORE TESTIMONY ON DRUG STORE PARTY

Conversation Between Former Flint Mayor and Newberry's Lieutenants Offered By Government in Conspiracy Fraud Trial.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 13. More testimony concerning the conversation behind a drug store prescription case between William McKeighan, former mayor of Flint and four of the defendants in the Newberry trial, was offered by the government today. Two witnesses told of seeing the party in McKeighan's drug store and one of them related what Richard Fletcher told him of the talk.

McKeighan swore yesterday that Fletcher who is state labor commissioner threatened to have him sent to jail on a charge of assault and robbery then pending in the state supreme court if the drugstore politician did not support Truman H. Newberry's senatorial primary campaign in 1918. He named Paul King, manager of the campaign; Fred Henry, one of Fletcher's deputies, and Fred Castator, a Detroit alderman, as having been present.

Today Homer Livingstone, one of McKeighan's employees, testified to seeing the party enter Fletcher's store to see the case as related by McKeighan. He also saw them leave.

### MODIFIED DRAFTS TO ARTICLE TEN DEMOCRATS PLAN

Hitchcock Promises Support of Forty Colleagues

### DOES NOT MEET G. O. P. DEMANDS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Two modified drafts of the article ten reservation to the peace treaty were laid before Republican senators today by Senator Hitchcock, Democratic leader with a promise that about forty Democrats would support whichever of the proposals the Republicans found preferable.

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THE EXAGGERATED EGO.

Some admirers of Mr. Wilson have counted the cruel and unjust criticism the often made statement that the president keeps no one in is official family who dares to differ with him. Now Mr. Wilson's letter requesting the resignation of Mr. Lansing furnishes the written proof that no opposition to the president views will be tolerated. The president wants no advice and objects to its being proffered.

LIKE UNTO ATLAS.

Mr. Wilson according to his own statement believes that his cabinet should not have met in conference during all the term of his illness, dating from last October, just because he issued no official call. Certainly with the president incapacitated there was greater need than ever before for cabinet conferences. There can be but one explanation of the president's arrogant attitude of mind. The trip abroad was his undoing and he schooled himself into thinking that the weight of the whole U. S. government rested upon his shoulders and his alone. Yes, the dream was enlarged and he became like Atlas, supporting the world.

RE-ELECT THE ALDERMEN

Somebody suggested at the conference last night that the four aldermen whose terms expire this Spring should be re-elected without opposition. The argument was advanced that these men are filling the offices as well as others could possibly do. The people have confidence in them and their associates. They have undertaken tasks that are unfinished. To use the old metaphor, "Why trade horses in the middle of the stream?" There is sound reasoning in this idea that the aldermen now serving, if they are willing to continue in their work, should not be disturbed and meet the necessity of making "campaigns" in order to win preferment at the polls.

GIVE THE TEACHERS THEIR DUES

An election is to be held in Jacksonville next Saturday, wherein the people are given the opportunity to instruct the board of education to levy a tax of \$2 on the \$100 of valuation instead of \$1.33 1-3. If a majority of the people favor the proposition, the board will levy taxes for general educational purposes two-thirds of one per cent greater than the tax now in force.

It should be stated that under the law the increased fund would by no means be used solely for increasing the salaries of teachers. The general running expenses of the schools come out of

this fund. Everybody knows that the price of coal and other supplies that the schools consume have increased enormously in the past few years. Anyone can understand that the efficiency of the schools cannot be maintained unless there is more money available than was true when general costs were lower.

This is true of all business, of family expenditures and the schools are not excepted. Compiled records show that the teachers of the schools in Jacksonville are paid less than are the teachers of other cities in central Illinois. Many of the teachers also they have not been drawing salaries equal to living expenses, have stayed on because they liked to live in Jacksonville and because they have believed that the inequalities will some day be righted.

The teachers have under their care the most significant trust. They deal with boys and girls in the years when the influence of good instructors means much. The teachers have it in their power to fit only train the minds of boys and girls, but to build their characters aright. The responsibility of the teacher is enormous. Those that are qualified for their work and devoted to it, cannot well be overpaid. They are at present underpaid, and in justice to them and as a matter of protection for the boys and girls of Jacksonville a higher tax rate should be authorized so that salaries may be increased.

IT'S THE SPIRIT THAT COUNTS

That was a fine gathering of the official family of Jacksonville held last night at the invitation of Mayor Crabtree. There were more than 125 people in the company and they all gave evidence of their interest in Jacksonville, their belief that co-operative interest and effort will make this a better and bigger city.

Years do not furnish a correct measure of a man's life. It is spirit that counts. If there is a fine enthusiasm, an optimism that means doing things for the betterment of the city, and not merely dreaming about them, the progress is sure.

As the years count less than spirit in the human life, so size amounts to much less than spirit in the life of a city. If living conditions are right, if there is progress and improvement, then the city is right, whether it be large or small.

In these days people of Jacksonville are ready for united effort in a way that has not characterized the past. In many cities the chief aim of those who hold office is to plan how they may continue to hold office. In Jacksonville now the chief aim of the office holders seems to be "everything for the good of the city."

It's a fine slogan and as its popularity grows the resulting spirit gives earnest of what may be accomplished for Jacksonville with passing years.

People here now have the welfare of each other and the city at heart. They believe that economy is all right but they know that there can be no city progress without the expenditure of money. They are ready to spend the money because they have the "for Jacksonville" spirit.

No years do not correctly measure the human life. Size isn't the real index to the worth of a city. It's the spirit that counts—the right spirit. We have it here now and it is the duty of every good citizen to foster and promote that spirit. So every citizen will bear his full share of the burden and will have his full part in the joy that is certain to come in a city where selfishness is in the background and the welfare of the people as a whole is given first consideration.

SECRETARY LANSING'S DISMISSAL  
It has been a long span of years since the publication of letters exchanged between the president and a member of his cabinet like unto those between President Wilson and Secretary Lansing. There are words sharp as two-edged swords cropping out in that correspondence. To the unbiased reader the secretary has the best of the argument.

The letter from the president is practically a dismissal. The reply shows that the secretary felt the sting in the president's words. Mr. Lansing "answers back" in a way to show that only a desire to show loyalty to his

chief has kept him in his post these many months.

Somebody not long ago referred to Mr. Wilson as "the lonely man in Washington" and certainly the president is rapidly getting to that stage as his political and intimate friendships come to abrupt endings.

Mr. Lansing, schooled in the ways of diplomacy and well versed in international law, has been accounted the strongest member of the cabinet. Now he is out and his resignation is the eighth or ninth from the official family. Mr. Wilson's action in this instance, his defiant stand against the majority in the senate on the peace treaty, and other acts give color to the oft repeated stories that the pressure of government affairs has been too great—that he is no longer mentally or physically capable of discharging the duties of his high office.

A one man government at Washington and that man an incompetent—certainly the condition is distressing.

Rippling Rhymes  
By Walt Mason

In Kansas, when Old Boozie went out, there was some wailing round about. "Our fathers," some folks would complain, "they fought for liberty in vain; the boom for which they shed their blood is on the blink, it's name is Mud." A little while they raised their fust, and never missed a chance to euss the tyranny that banished booze, and queered the rights men hate to lose. But soon they found that they were horses; men wearied of their useless roars. And so they talked of other themes, and in their trance dreamed saner dreams, and in a little while, gadzooks, they learned to like the babbling brooks, from which they need not blow the foam, which sent them sober to their home. And no one thought or talked of booze, of gaudy jags or princely stewes. And those who worried days and nights because of our denatured rights, who wildly gnashed rebellious jaws, now yelled for still more drastic laws. Thus will it be the country o'er, when time has healed the spirits sore of dead game sports who no complain because their only drink is rain.

The new light weight Stetson Hats shown by FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store will please the men demanding comfortable head wear.

BARR BROWN BUYS STATE STREET HOME  
Purchases The Residence of Late Captain Alexander Smith on West State Street.

W. Barr Brown has recently purchased from Dr. F. M. Ruile, executor of the estate of Alexander Smith, the residence property at 1153 West State street now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Brady and Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Thompson. The time when possession is to be given has not been made known.

The property was originally known as the "Syndicate" house, for it was built by a number of Jacksonville citizens jointly some years ago as an investment. Subsequently it became the property of Capt. Alexander Smith, was partially destroyed by fire a few years ago and rebuilt along new lines into a handsome residence with especially spacious grounds.

RIBBONS  
Hair Bows, Taffeta, yd. . 20c  
5 inch Satin Ribbon, special, yard 50c  
F. J. WADDELL & CO.

REMAINS WILL ARRIVE TODAY  
The remains of Charles E. Scott who died in Del Norte, Colorado recently will arrive Saturday morning in the city. Services will be held Saturday at 1:30 from the residence of his father, Ezra Scott, 1156 South Main street. Interment will be made in Asbury cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS  
We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks for the many acts of kindness shown us during the illness and death of our beloved mother and brother. Also for the beautiful floral offerings.  
The Correa Family.

JUDGE LAYMAN HERE.  
Judge M. T. Layman came to Jacksonville yesterday to remain for a week attending to some legal and personal business.

Funeral services for Miss Mary M. Myers were held from the Reynolds' chapel at 10 o'clock Friday morning in charge of the Rev. W. H. Marbach, pastor of State Street Presbyterian church.

Burial was in Diamond Grove cemetery, the bearers being W. H. Naylor, Roy Fernandes, William Ross, Clyde D. Sanders, Frank Baker, and Louis Seymour.

Mrs. Pauline Teasley and Miss Merritt of Springfield were among those from out of the city in attendance at the funeral.

Funeral services for William Nunes were held from the residence, 535 Hooker street at 3:30 o'clock Friday afternoon in charge of the Rev. Walter E. Spoons.

Music was furnished by Mrs. James A. Scott and Mrs. J. M. DeFries with Miss Sardinah at the organ. The flowers were cared for by Mrs. John E. Pires and Mrs. Myrtle Rolington.

Burial was in Jacksonville cemetery the bearers being Joseph Gomes, Bert Moore, Theodore Nunes, John E. Pires, Charles Pires and Joseph Souza.

Funeral services for the late John Dunlap were held at the family home in Alexander at 10 o'clock Friday morning. The services were in charge of Rev. W. E. Keenan of Bismarck, Ill., assisted by Rev. O. N. Cheveront, pastor of the Alexander M. E. church. There was a large gathering of the friends and relatives of the deceased, who was well and favorably known in the Alexander community.

A choir composed of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Six, Miss Katherine Kaiser and Luther Wiley sang "Sometime We'll Understand" and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere." Rev. J. A. Betcher of Ashland sang as a solo "Face to Face."

Funerals

Funeral services for Anthony Pieper were held from the Church of Our Savior at 8:30 o'clock Friday morning in charge of the Rev. F. P. Formaz. Burial was in Calvary cemetery, the bearers being A. W. Becker, Peter Leonard, Terrance Sloan, Fred Degau, John Buckley and James Casey.

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Funeral services for the late John Dunlap were held at the family home in Alexander at 10 o'clock Friday morning. The services were in charge of Rev. W. E. Keenan of Bismarck, Ill., assisted by Rev. O. N. Cheveront, pastor of the Alexander M. E. church. There was a large gathering of the friends and relatives of the deceased, who was well and favorably known in the Alexander community.

A choir composed of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Six, Miss Katherine Kaiser and Luther Wiley sang "Sometime We'll Understand" and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere." Rev. J. A. Betcher of Ashland sang as a solo "Face to Face."

There was a great profusion of beautiful floral tributes and these were in charge of Mrs. Bert Davenport, Mrs. George Ruble, Mrs. Minnie Ludwig and Miss Mary Hohman.

Rev. Mr. Keenan delivered the sermon and in the course of his remarks paid a high tribute to the life of the deceased. The minister also emphasized the thought that it behooves all to be prepared to die, for the angel of death comes to the young and vigorous as well as to the aged.

Interment was made in Woodwreath cemetery and the bearers were William Colwell, Rufus Jarrett, Harry Foster, A. F. Kirby, Edward Young and Frank Wiesand.

Among those from a distance who attended the services were Rev. J. A. Betcher of Ashland, Rev. C. W. Andrews and wife, Ashland; Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Six and daughter Harriet, Jacksonville; Rev. W. E. Keenan, Bismarck; Miss Mamie Huggins, Chicago.

DeCastro.  
Funeral services for Mrs. Julia DeCastro were held from the Reynolds chapel at 3:30 o'clock Friday afternoon in charge of the Rev. Walter E. Spoons, pastor of Northminster church.

Music was furnished by Mrs. James A. Scott and Mrs. J. M. DeFries. The flowers were cared for by Mrs. John Frank and Mrs. Joseph Fernandes.

Burial was in Diamond Grove cemetery, the bearers being Joseph H. Smith, Leonard C. Smith, Charles Smith, David Smith, brothers, and John Frank and Joseph C. Fernandes, brothers-in-law.

Among those from out of the city in attendance at the funeral were: Charles Smith of Beards-town, Joseph Smith of Winchester, Leonard Smith of Ft. Wayne, Ind., and Mrs. Anna Jones of Danville.

FUNERAL NOTICE  
Funeral services for Mrs. Claude Ragan will be held from the residence on South East street at 8:30 o'clock this morning in charge of the Rev. G. W. Randle, pastor of Brooklyn church.

The remains will be taken on the 10:15 o'clock Alton train this morning to Anna where burial will be made Sunday.

Deaths

Deck'r.  
Bertha Decker, the eleven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Decker of Alexander, was buried Friday afternoon at two o'clock in the Antioch cemetery. The remainder of the family are all down with the influenza so a service at the house was impossible. Rev. A. L. Reynolds conducted a short service at the cemetery.

The deceased is survived by her mother and father and her sisters Josey and Dorothy, and her brothers Samuel, Charley and Ezra.

Tribble.  
Eva Tribble, aged 15 years, died at Passavant hospital Friday evening of pneumonia. The family resided near Woodson and she was brought to the hospital Friday afternoon, her mother and father both being ill. The remains were taken to the family home Friday evening by Undertaker Thompson of Murrayville. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Crouse.  
Nancy Jane Crouse, daughter of Andrew and Elizabeth Crouse, died at Passavant hospital, 1843 north of Jacksonville, passed away at 7:15 P. M., February 13, 1920 at her home in Jacksonville.

The deceased was married to Elza T. Fox, February 14, 1887 at Murrayville, Illinois, to this union were born three children. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Hattie Swain of Sinclair, and Miss Lora E. Fox, of Jacksonville, and two grandchildren, Isabel and Albert Swain of Sinclair, three brothers George Crouse, of Murrayville, Thomas Crouse, of Jacksonville and Charles Crouse, of Lowder and

one sister, Mrs. M. B. Johnson, of Bayfield, Wisconsin.

She was preceded in death by her husband and an infant son, Mrs. Crouse was a member of the Grace M. E. church.

The funeral will be held at the home, 617 West College avenue, at one o'clock Monday afternoon, February 16, 1920. Burial will be in the Hebron cemetery.

Suiter.  
Floyd Suiter died at his home in Peoria at noon Thursday of pneumonia after an illness of six days. His mother went to Peoria to be with her son several days ago and his father and brother Leo went to Peoria Thursday. His daughter, Evelyn Marie, aged 3 years, is also critically ill of pneumonia.

Deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Suiter and was born in this city, being at the time of death 29 years of age.

He was united in marriage here seven years ago to Miss Etta May Ferguson who survives, together with two daughters, Etta May and Eleanor Irene, who is one year old. He also leaves his parents and one brother, Leo Suiter, of this city.

Mr. Suiter received his education in the public schools of the city and later learned the baker's trade. He worked at the trade here and about five years ago

went to Peoria. He had acquired a bakery in that city and was meeting with success.

The remains will be brought here for funeral services and interment. Owing to the serious condition of the daughter no time has been set for the funeral.

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KI-MOIDS  
the new aid to digestion comfort today. A pleasant relief from the discomfort of acid-dyspepsia. MADE BY SCOTT & BOWNE MAKERS OF SCOTT'S EMULSION

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having rented my farm I will sell at my residence 2 miles south and 1 mile east of Alexander and 5 miles north and 1 mile east of Franklin, on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1920

Sale to begin at 10 a. m., the following property:  
22—HORSES AND MULES—22

1 pair horse mules coming 4 years old; 1 pair mare mules 8 and 9 years old; 1 pair (horse and mare) coming 3 and 4 years old; 1 pair mare mules coming 3 years old; 1 pair horse mules coming 3 years old; 1 pair mules (horse and mare) coming 2 years old; 1 bay mare 9 years old; 1 sorrel saddle horse; 1 brown mare safe in foal by jack; 1 horse 7 years old; 1 mare 7 years old; 1 brown mare 6 years old; 1 sorrel mare; 1 draft horse 5 years old.

CATTLE  
6 good Shorthorn cows most of which are young, 3 coming fresh in spring; 1 Shorthorn bull 2 years old; 2 yearling steers; 18 spring calves.

HOGS AND SHEEP  
5 sows to farrow last of March; 1 Poland China boar; 40 shoats weighing from 80 to 100 pounds; 6 ewes to lamb in March; 1 black face buck.

GRAIN AND HAY  
300 bus. Texas seed oats; 150 bales good timothy; 325 bales oat straw.

IMPLEMENT, ETC.  
12-inch Fuller & Johnson gang plow; 14-inch Fuller & Johnson gang plow; 3 16-inch sulky plows; 2 row cultivator; Fast Mail cultivator; John Deere cultivator; Moline cultivator; 2 John Deere corn planters; 2 3-section harrows; two section harrow; 12-inch walking plow; 16-inch walking plow; John Deere disc; McCormick mower; sheep rake; end gate seeder; 2 8-foot Deering binders; fanning mill and grader; 2 box wagons; iron wheel wagon and frame; 2 top buggies; surrey; sled; 5 horse evener; sleigh; hog trap; 3 water tanks; 2 hog watering fountains; 2 iron hog troughs; corn shelter; 2 50-gallon iron barrels; 20-gallon iron kettle; post drill and set of bits; 70-pound anvil; 7 sets work harness; 2 sets driving harness; 2 sets single harness; saddle and bridle.

4 stands bees and numerous other articles

TERMS, CASH  
Sale under tent in case of bad weather

C. M. STRAWN, Auct.  
S. J. CAMM, Clerk.

Lunch on Ground  
ANTON RIDDER

Farmers!  
900 Have Joined,  
Have You?  
The campaign is not finished.  
We will work 15-10 on Monday and 14-11 on Tuesday.  
Wednesday, Feb. 18th the cleanup campaign will start.  
You will be asked to join.  
Be ready when the solicitor comes to you. You can't afford to stay out of your own organization.  
Your SUPPORT means your SUCCESS.  
We need You--  
You need Us  
Join! Join! Join!  
Morgan Co. Farm Bureau  
Illinois Agricultural Association

The Rialto Theatre  
—We Run Thru the Supper Hour Every Day—  
LAST TIME TODAY  
The Birth of a Race  
The great photoplay setting forth the struggle and ultimate triumph of Democracy is sermon, education, story and entertainment all rolled into one massive production. It eulogizes the working man, it gives due credit to all races and creeds.  
ALSO TODAY  
Strand Comedy—"Taking the Count"  
And the latest Pathe News  
Admission 30 cents to all, war tax included  
Coming Next Monday and Tuesday—"Once to Every Man."

SCOTT'S THEATRE  
TODAY ONLY  
ENID BENNETT  
—in—  
The Woman in the Suit Case  
A Paramount Arctcraft Picture  
"Let's raise the devil!" she laughed—as she tried so hard to be "sporty" like her companion. Yet with aching heart she was playing the biggest, finest game of her life. And when the man she had honored most on earth came that night to meet "some live little girl"—the scene that followed is one scene you won't forget!  
ADDED ATTRACTIONS  
"THE GREAT GAMBLE"  
—and—  
A HAROLD LLOYD COMEDY  
MUSIC BY BROWN'S ORCHESTRA  
Admission 10c and 20c—Plus War Tax



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## "Cainson Flour"

GLUTEN—FLAVOR—ECONOMY

## Public Sale!

Having sold my place, I will offer at public sale without reserve, at my residence 1 mile east of Public Square, Jacksonville, on the Springfield road, on

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1920**

beginning at 1 o'clock P. M., sharp, the following described property.

**1 Sorrel Mare, quiet to drive, good worker, single or double.**

**COWS**

Two cows, one milking since June; one with calf at her side. They are both good cows.

**HOGS - 6 Brood Sows - HOGS**

**IMPLEMENTS**

Six wagons, one iron wheel, been used but little; 1 12-inch walking plow; 1 storm buggy; 1 phaeton; 1 spring wagon; 1 one-horse cultivator; 3 riding cultivators; 1 corn sheller; 1 cider press; 1 Blue Bell cream separator; 1 iron kettle; 2 barrels of cider vinegar; 1 hay fork; 5 sets work harness; 2 sets single buggy harness; 1 Old Trusty incubator; 1 buggy pole, used but little; 1 14-inch Osborn disc pulverizer; 1 corn planter; 1 mower; and other articles too numerous to mention.

**TERMS—CASH**  
**M. M. McCOMB**

Harry E. Thompson, Auctioneer

R. R. Stevenson, Clerk

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Best Hog Food on  
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<b>LARD</b> 3 pounds for <b>79c</b>	<b>Bulk Sauer Kraut</b> Dry Pack, 2 pounds <b>15c</b>	<b>Fresh Liver</b> Sliced thin, 2 pounds <b>9c</b>
<b>Sirloin Steak</b> Cut from young tender beef <b>27½c</b>	<b>Pork Roast</b> Fancy, Lean <b>25½c</b>	<b>Armour's Pork and Beans</b> with tomato sauce 2 cans <b>25c</b>
<b>Fancy Tomatoes</b> 2 cans for <b>26c</b>	<b>Armour's Veribest Milk</b> 3 cans for <b>25c</b>	<b>Peanut Butter</b> Miller & Hart's, only <b>33c</b>
<b>Extra Quality Corn</b> 2 cans for <b>26c</b>	<b>Bacon</b> Miller & Hart's, whole or ½ side <b>38½c</b>	<b>Heinz Plum and Fig Puddings</b> only <b>44c</b>
<b>Choice Canned Pumpkin</b> 2 cans for <b>25c</b>	<b>Old English Fresh Corn Beef</b> only <b>17½c</b>	<b>Beef Tongues</b> Only <b>35c</b>

Special Prices on Every Article in the House for This Sale  
**DON'T MISS IT! LET US SAVE YOU MONEY!**

### City and County

J. L. Hendrickson of Rock Island was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

W. T. Dale of Alton spent Friday in the city on business. Fred Ranson is devoting his time writing auto and hog insurance and is kept rather busy at that.

### Sure Relief

**BELL-ANS FOR INDIGESTION**  
6 BELL-ANS Hot water Sure Relief  
**BELL-ANS FOR INDIGESTION**

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Any time that any one wants a delicious drink with a real, satisfying, sustaining food value.

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Standard cold remedy for 20 years—no opiate—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture.

At All Drug Stores

that Mrs. Ranson is looking after the Leghorn chicken business.

Mrs. Cora Wilson of Rock Island was a caller in the city yesterday.

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50c size Mentholatum...39c  
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**RABJOHNS & REID.**

Horace R. Swain of Sinclair was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

Thomas Courtney of Batesville was a business visitor in the city Friday.

Norman DeWees and S. T. Erixon made a business trip to Springfield yesterday.

Harry Hexter of Lacon was a visitor in Jacksonville Friday.

**TO BOOM TODAY'S BUSINESS WE WILL OFFER SPECIALS IN ALL DEPARTMENTS AT HERMAN'S.**

Seth Griswold came up from White Hall yesterday.

Henry Edelbrock came in on business from Chapin yesterday.

D. C. White of Roodhouse was a visitor in Jacksonville Friday.

M. B. Fitzpatrick of Roodhouse made a business trip to Jacksonville yesterday.

E. H. Crouse of Murrayville was a Jacksonville visitor Friday.

**NEW SPRING MILLINERY**  
We are now showing new hats in Tailored and Sport models.

**F. J. WADDELL & CO.**  
M. A. Heffner, commissioner of Indian City Drainage District No. 2 was in Jacksonville on business Friday.

Austin King of Murrayville was in the city Friday on business.

Everett Pennell of Murrayville visited Jacksonville yesterday.

Frank Masters drove in from Lynnville Friday.

Mrs. Harry McGee of Litterberry was a Jacksonville shopper yesterday.

**Ladies brown heather wool hose \$2.00 pair.**  
**RABJOHNS & REID**

Irwin Patterson of Litterberry visited the city yesterday.

Thomas Brown of Sinclair was in the city on business Friday.

Sam Chalmers of Joy Prairie visited the city yesterday.

Ed Peterfish of Virginia was a Jacksonville shopper Friday.

A. B. McKinney from west of the city was here on business Friday.

Ernest DeWees from north of Jacksonville was transacting business here yesterday.

F. R. Watson came in from Lynnville Friday.

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J. A. DeSollar of Chapin was a caller in the city yesterday.

J. J. Clark from north of the city was a Jacksonville caller Friday.

Rev. Ed Curry of Waverly visited Jacksonville Friday.

Henry Bebe came up from Carrollton yesterday.

Ed. Lonsdon from the Nortonville neighborhood was a business visitor Thursday.

**We are now showing new models in ladies suits, coats and dresses, also new plaid skirts.**  
**F. J. WADDELL & CO.**

Ed Barrows from south of the city visited Jacksonville Friday.

Lewis Riser came in from Prentice on business Friday.

Fred Long of Prentice visited the city Friday.

Albert Hopper of Sinclair was a Jacksonville visitor Friday.

Verne Rexroat, of Rexroat & Deppe, returned Friday from a week's visit to the "Anderson" factory in Rockhill, S. C.

**TWO UNDERWEAR BARGAINS**  
Ladies Wool Union Suits, values up to \$4.00; odd lots \$2.39.  
Ladies Cotton Union Suits worth up to \$2.25; odd lot \$1.39.  
**RABJOHNS & REID.**

**With the Sick**  
Miss Wilhelmina DeSilva has returned to St. Louis after an illness of two weeks at her home on West College street.  
Emma Jane and John Daniel Ragin were taken to Passavant Hospital Friday.  
Mrs. Blakeman and baby returned to Murrayville Friday from Passavant Hospital.  
Alfred Meyers of Bluffs was able to return home from Passavant Hospital Friday.  
Edna Hennessy, 824 Doolin avenue, has been ill at her home for several days.  
After an illness of five weeks, Dr. F. A. Norris has returned to his office in Ayers Bank Building.  
Miss Myra Mullins has recovered from an operation at Passavant Hospital. She returned to her home in Griggsville yesterday.  
Miss Bessie Goveia is suffering from an attack of tonsillitis at her home on Doolin avenue.  
Orval Atkinson, 620 Jordan street, will be confined to his home for several days on account of a badly sprained ankle.

**CLOSING OUT SALE**  
Tuesday, Feb. 24th, 10 a. m., 2 miles east of Pisgah; horses, mules, cows, hogs, hay, straw, farm implements and machinery.  
**T. B. BUCHANAN, Jr.**  
C. E. Releford of Beardstown was a visitor in the city Friday.

### LUCILLE KING IS INSTANTLY KILLED BY FELLOW WORKER

Result of Recent Quarrel Between Two Negroes Whom Were Both Employed at Pacific Hotel—Murderer Surrenders to Police

Zennie Ritchie shot and instantly killed Lucille King in the kitchen at the New Pacific hotel about 2 o'clock Friday afternoon. Both parties are negroes and were employed at the hotel.

Ritchie fired three times at the woman with a 22 caliber revolver. Two of the bullets struck the woman in the back of the head and one entered the left breast.

After the shooting Ritchie ran from the hotel and a few minutes later appeared at the city hall. He asked some of the firemen where he could find Chief of Police Kiloran.

The firemen noting his apparent agitation asked him what the trouble was. He replied that he had done a little shooting and wanted to give himself up. The men took charge of Ritchie and notified the police who had been summoned to the hotel. When they arrived Ritchie was placed in a cell in the police station.

**Couple Had Quarrelled.**  
According to reports a number of quarrels the past few days between Ritchie and the King woman led up to the shooting.

It is said that a number of days ago the woman had Ritchie arrested on the charge of assault and battery. A city warrant was worn out before Justice Crum.

Ritchie paid the fine and Friday he was arrested on a state warrant sworn out by the King woman on the same charge. This warrant was issued from the office of Justice Opperman.

Ritchie appeared before Justice Opperman, Friday afternoon and was fined on the charge. He left the office and must have gone directly to the hotel for the shooting took place a few minutes afterward.

It is said that the reason the King woman had the warrants sworn out for Ritchie was that in the altercation he struck her over the head with some unknown instrument cutting the scalp so that it required several stitches to close the wound. Dr. Duncan attended the woman. This alleged assault was committed on February 11.

Witnesses to the shooting said that Ritchie when he entered the kitchen at the hotel remonstrated with the King woman for having him arrested. The argument became violent and Ritchie whipped out the revolver and fired three times at the woman.

**Police Notified.**  
Jacob Magid who was in charge of the office at the hotel at the time notified the police station and Chief Kiloran and Patrolmen Baker and McGinnis hurried to the hotel.

Dr. A. M. King, also was called. Upon their arrival the woman was dead. Coroner Rose was notified and the body was removed to the undertaking parlors of J. H. O'Donnell.

When the coroner made an examination of the body he found a pocket knife with a good sized blade opened and clenched tightly in the dead woman's hand.

The coroner empaneled a jury with Rev. J. W. Muse foreman. The jury viewed the body and adjourned until Monday when the inquest will be held.

**LOST**  
Lady's gold watch, between Church of Our Savior and square, Friday afternoon. Finder return to Elliott State bank and receive suitable reward.

**Births**  
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Scott, R. F. D. No. 1, are the proud parents of a fine baby boy born Friday at Our Savior's Hospital.

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**WHY COUGH AND COUGH AND COUGH**

Relieve it with Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey

ARE you going to let it stick and become a chronic condition? Of course not! Not when you know you have a preparation like Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey to loosen it up and so allow Nature to rid you of it.

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A Fine Laxative For Children  
Promptly, smoothly, comfortably, Podojax laxates the bowels and cures the temper. Not a purgative like calomel is but gentle, safe, easy-in-action laxative for a whole family that effectively removes toxic

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### Social Events

**Murrayville Queen**

**Esther Circle Met**

The Queen Esther Circle of Murrayville met Friday evening with Miss Gladys Osborne. About twenty girls were present and enjoyed the evening with music and games. The hostess served light refreshments.

**Young People Attended**  
**Dance at Roodhouse.**

The dance given by the Knights of Pythias at Roodhouse Thursday evening was quite largely attended. Among those in attendance from this city were: Misses Rose Sullivan, Josephine Steinmetz, Catherine Steinmetz, Esther McCarty, Nora VanHuyne, Alta Kehl; Messrs. Augustus Phalen, Roy Carroll, Gerald Duffy, Thomas Cosgriff, Frank Carson.

**Clio Circle of Litterberry Meets.**

Miss Wilma Crum of Litterberry was hostess Friday afternoon to members of the Clio Circle of the Christian church. There was only a fair attendance of members and one guest present, the health conditions interfering with the attendance. The scripture lesson was read by Miss Lora Petefish, after which three readings were given by those present. The readings were by Mrs. Mary Litter, Miss Lela Petefish and Mrs. Arthur Litter. During the afternoon the hostess served excellent refreshments.

**Iona Willner**  
**Birthday Party for**

About forty guests assembled Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Willner in honor of Miss Iona Willner's seventeenth birthday anniversary. They spent the evening very pleasantly with games and music. There was much fun over the cutting of the birthday cake. The darning needle went to John Thompson, the ring to James Foster, the dime to James Hill, and the thimble to Mary Hennessy.

The guests were Leonard Casey, John Thompson, Charles and James Foster, John and James Hill, Leo Gruber, Walter Kuppler, Floyd Zimmerman, Arthur Undergraft, Arthur Behl and Harry Willner, H. C. Massey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Willner, Albert Willner and family; Misses Amelia Carlson, Ida Morris, Laura Weber, Mary Hennessy.

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## IDE IN CITY SHOWN AT MAYOR'S BANQUET

### SPECIAL FAMILY WELL REPRESENTED AT CONFERENCE

Crabtree Made Enlightening Statement of City's Affairs—Need For Improvement Along Many Lines Suggested—Everybody in the "For Jacksonville Spirit."

Some member of the Jacksonville official family gathered in conference last night suggested it be made an annual event. The motion was carried with much eclat, for evidently the 125 men and women present were well satisfied with Mayor Crabtree's hospitality.

The mayor invited all city employees, members of all departments, commissions and committees, to attend the dinner at Central Christian church. It developed that there were 153 invitations issued and 125 persons attended. Most of the remaining twenty-eight were kept at home illness.

The occasion might well have been termed an efficiency banquet, had it been planned by a mayor in order to bring all members of the official family into a closer acquaintance, with the idea that the aims and purposes of the present administration would thus come into better understanding.

The Pastoral Helpers of the church, under the direction of Mrs. Lillian King, served the excellent dinner after grace had been said by Dr. Harker. Fire Chief Hunt and the members of his department were a little late arriving because of a fire call. They were given hearty applause as they came trooping into the church dining room. For the moment the church was the headquarters of the fire department, for one engine was parked near the entrance ready in case of a call, and only two men were left in watch at the city building.

**City Affairs and the Future.** When the final course had been served, Mayor Crabtree stated in very frank way that it was a together gathering, planned with the hope that all city employees and attaches might thus come into a clearer knowledge of the many problems that the city council is facing. The mayor said that after his own statement he hoped there would be some general discussion and gave the suggestion that the occasion was intended for distribution of bouquets—that personalities should be omitted and the discussion confined to city affairs in special relation to the future.

His address, given with characteristic earnestness, left no doubt about the exact condition of city affairs. It gave a clear understanding of the vision of city administration, of its development well and wisely for the future.

The open forum which followed a number of citizens took among them V. L. Pay, Dr. Harker, John J. Reeve, Mr. H. P. Buffe, Rev. W. E. Spoons, H. P. Samuel, W. T. A. C. Metcalf, Edward Gan, Dr. A. M. King, Alder Thomas Flynn, Mr. Tiplady, O'Donnell, Paul P. Thompson, Edward Gause and John W. an. Mrs. Crabtree was for the "real mayor" of Jacksonville and responded

**Ready to Co-operate.** In the conclusion the following resolution, introduced by Harker was unanimously adopted: "Resolved, that as citizens of Jacksonville we thank the mayor for his fine hospitality tonight; that we express our appreciation of the city administration for the food service they are giving us; and pledge ourselves to co-operate with them in every way for the good of Jacksonville."

The main part of Mayor Crabtree's statement is given hereunder:

**How Conferences Help.** Whatever knowledge I may have of the several occupations in which

I have engaged during my business life I have felt that I have learned more by coming in contact with men in a similar line of business than in any other way. By experience I have found that in my conversations with men I have always been able to talk to men who knew more than I did upon a given topic and that I could absorb some thought that I could bring home and apply with profit.

With that in view I have felt for some time that if the employees and officials of the City of Jacksonville should get together that out of such a meeting might come a better knowledge of each other, a better understanding of the duties of each and a clearer conception of what we might owe to our City.

Cooperation is the word that is in everyone's mouth at the present time. It is a word which has caused us to see quickly and completely bring the great war to a successful conclusion. Discord does just the reverse. If this group of men and women assembled tonight can have a thorough understanding of what we are attempting to do, get the viewpoint of each other, and then to work in harmony for a common cause surely it can result only in the betterment of our City.

**Five Goals.** This administration is attempting to do several things: First—Arouse civic spirit so that each man and woman will feel it is his or her duty to take an active part in the city's management. That every person will be a politician, namely, "politician" in the true definition of the word. If that is the true definition of politician then I am a politician and I am hoping that every citizen may be a politician under this banner.

Second—To put Jacksonville on a practical financial basis. Third—That our present platform of "Everything for the good of the City" may be so impressed on the minds of the citizens that we will never again revert to the old definition of politics meaning "to the victor belongs the spoils." At the meeting of the Illinois Municipal League I was amazed to hear the keynote of each speaker even though he had been elected on a partisan ticket emphasized that there should be no politics in City government.

Fourth—Looking forward for years to come along constructive lines of general betterment of all physical, moral and health plans, have each platform of each speaker even though he had been elected on a partisan ticket emphasized that there should be no politics in City government.

Apparently there is a spirit of harmony prevailing at present, it is up to you and to me by our example to maintain that spirit. You citizens have shown confidence in us and because of that fact we owe more to the City than that we would not that confidence exist.

**The Honest Day's Work.** Harmony and cooperation between departments and individuals means better and easier work and better results. We all know that it is results that count. You and I must get good results out of our jobs before we can expect to get better ones. You and I do not know who is watching us in our daily activity. The man who works on the street, in the police department, in the water department or any other activity of the City is continually watched by the public. It is not doing his full duty by an honest day's work toward the City, the public will quickly know it. The public cannot be fooled for long. It is possible to fool the public perhaps for a while but the great sixth sense "instinct" will soon give us away if we are not true blue. Service to the public is the greatest thing that we can do for ourselves. There is no joy like doing more than one is paid for. There is no joy greater than feeling that we have done something for our neighbor without compensation.

It is the desire of this council to hand over the city to our successors as nearly free from debt as possible. There seems to be an inclination on the part of some to feel that since we have paid the most of our current debts by a bond issue that we should be more liberal in the expenditure of money and there is a demand on the part of the public expecting us to do more for the citizens. It must be borne in mind that the only safe policy to pursue for our successors is to cut our cloth by the amount of revenue. We only transferred our debts to another form when we issued bonds. We put the debt into such a shape that we could take it out of the budget a series of years but we must economize in every way possible and at the same time we must give better service to the citizens.

**Financial Figures.** The financial statement to January 1, 1920 is as follows: Outstanding bonds—Issue of 1905 payable \$4,000 every July 1st. . . . . \$34,000.00 Water works extension bonds payable \$3750 each July 1st. . . . . 75,000.00 Funding bonds, payable \$6500 each December 1st, except a final payment of \$7,500. . . . . 131,000.00

Total outstanding bonds. . . . . \$249,000.00 We will issue in the spring, filtration plant bonds. . . . . \$79,000.00 Consolidative light plant bonds. . . . . 44,000.00

Total. . . . . \$372,000.00 Current Statement, 1919 Revenue—Current taxes. . . . . \$1,276.91 Fines collected. . . . . 1,154.00 Permits and licenses. . . . . 1,704.75 Miscellaneous. . . . . 653.70

Total Revenue for 1919. . . . . \$4,789.36 \*Of this amount \$39,638.84 has been anticipated. Revenue Water Department. . . . . \$41,758.01 Total Revenue. . . . . \$46,547.37

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**Expenditures.** Various Departments of the City, Year 1919. . . . . \$83,527.91 Expenses of Water Department. . . . . 26,450.26 Total Expenditures. . . . . \$109,978.17 Net deficit. . . . . 13,430.85

What have we to say for 1920? Under the new law our current taxes will be increased, something as follows: Amount of taxes certified to sheriff. . . . . \$7,807.05 Less 2 per cent collection charge. . . . . 1,756.14

Total. . . . . \$6,050.91 Less a possible shrink. . . . . 500.00 Probable net taxes. . . . . \$5,550.91 Fines collected as per last year. . . . . 2,512.45

Total probable net revenue. . . . . \$8,063.36 Expenditures as per 1919 (Water Department not included). . . . . \$83,527.91

Or a very small balance of. . . . . \$4,535.45 But we sold bonds to pay our debts to May 1, 1919, only and to January 1, 1920, we had current debts of approximately \$25,000.00. There is only one way of getting this paid—save out of current taxes or find more revenue.

Again we need the following approximate sums for our betterment: For increased salaries to employees. . . . . \$4,000.00 For street and sewer improvement. . . . . 10,000.00 For materials on account of increase of prices. . . . . 5,000.00

Total not less this. . . . . \$19,000.00 The problem is shall we try to find increased revenue or still further reduce our expenditures? **Water Department.** From now on the revenue of the water department must be segregated and it cannot be used for any other purpose than that of the water department.

The 1919 statement of water department follows: Revenues. . . . . \$41,758.01 Expenditures. . . . . 26,450.26 Net excess. . . . . 15,307.75 Beginning January 1, 1920, we will have an additional charge against this for Citizens Organization as follows: Approximate payment on principal. . . . . \$7,200.00 Approximate payment for interest. . . . . 6,000.00

Total. . . . . \$13,200.00 But it is to be hoped and expected that with an abundance of pure water the sales will greatly increase.

We should begin a campaign for the laying of water mains in every street, where there is none. When this is done, to the end that every house shall have access to the system—but the old story, pipe costs money—where will we get the money?

**Water.** It may be better now that our water funds must be segregated that a commission to manage water works may be an improvement but we do not wish to make radical changes until we know we are bettering ourselves.

From now on the water department must be charged with power, current, and light department should be charged for water used.

**Sewage.** Next to water our big problem is sewage. A committee of citizens is already at work on a plan for modernizing the sewage system.

**Streets.** Jacksonville has long felt the need of a maintenance system for our street pavements. It is the hope of this administration that we will be able to put a small squad of men at work to repair the pavements already laid. But the kind of citizens we will have and that it will be possible to place over these grounds a supervisor who is capable of teaching the children healthful methods of playing. The youth is the business man of the future, and with his proper education depends what kind of citizens we will have and what kind of town we will have for the next generation.

I could go on indefinitely with what Jacksonville needs for the future. But my object is to awaken the citizenship to its responsibility for the coming generation. The problems are many, so many it almost overwhelms one. They cannot be solved in a day, a month or a year—but they can be solved every one of them. It is up to the citizens—let us hope that we will continue to have confidence in each other—co-operate in everything we attempt, lay aside personal ambition and petty jealousy, and everybody say, "Let's go."

Other cities are preparing to carry forward a program of additional street paving. It is hoped that the citizens of Jacksonville will take kindly to the laying of several street pavements for this year and that they will not oppose it, making it uncomfortable for us, but that they will feel it is a duty or a sacrifice to the town. We should have cleaner streets and we certainly could give Jacksonville cleaner streets if we can get the revenue.

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**Sidewalks.** Several miles of concrete sidewalks were laid last year and this year the program should be continued. Only concrete intersection crossings should be laid in the future. The day of the board crossing is gone.

**Building Electrical Inspector.** The war demonstrated that we cannot live to ourselves. Should I erect a building or install electricity not in conformity with the Fire Inspection Bureau or Fire Marshall's office, my fire hazard increases the rate of insurance and safety of my neighbor.

We should have a department looking after the public in these ways, the duties of the department being to protect the public by proper building and electrical laws.

**Plumbing Inspection.** For the preservation of health and sanitation we should have proper inspection of all plumbing.

**Parking of Automobiles.** Automobiles have revolutionized the business of the country. It has not yet reached the zenith of its growth. The parking of automobiles is a serious proposition in every city. More stringent regulations must be enforced around the square and in the congested district for the public safety and convenience of business. A new traffic ordinance is now being drafted and we hope the citizens will take kindly to it. The only relief for parking that we can see is that the city or citizens should secure desirable lots to be used for parking and to be supervised by the police department or the automobile association.

**Underground Wires.** Two of our public service companies have expressed a willingness to put their company's wires in the business district and trunk lines to city limits in conduit underground.

We hope to accomplish this sometime soon. **Taxes.** The payment of taxes is always fought by the citizen, but should not be because it is the only source of revenue for government. It is the inequality and the improper use of taxes that people object to.

We believe that if people are fully advised as to the expenditure, and have confidence that taxes are wisely spent, objection will be overcome to a large extent.

I have been interested in comparing taxes of Jacksonville with other towns, but have been unable to get tax returns from many for 1920 and 1919.

1919 1920 Jacksonville. . . . . \$92 558 Tonawanda. . . . . 677 Springfield. . . . . 842 657 Pekin. . . . . 846 636 Decatur. . . . . 875 E. St. Louis. . . . . 896

The tax rate for 1920 under the new law in all towns will be comparative with the rate for 1919.

**Public.** With the acquisition of the adjacent land to the new reservoir Jacksonville will have a much enlarged park system but experience has taught us that the boy between the ages of six and fifteen years must be taken care of in properly equipped and properly supervised playgrounds. We wish to be able to acquire a playground in each ward of the city and that it will be possible to place over these grounds a supervisor who is capable of teaching the children healthful methods of playing. The youth is the business man of the future, and with his proper education depends what kind of citizens we will have and what kind of town we will have for the next generation.

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## ROTARY CLUB FAVORS HIGHER SALARIES

### BELIEVE TEACHERS SHOULD BE BETTER PAID

#### Club Members Will Give Support To Increased Tax Plan at Special Election Next Saturday

The Rotary club of Jacksonville is in favor of higher salaries for teachers. The organization went on record Friday at the noon day luncheon held at the Pacific hotel. The general question of the salaries of teachers in relation to living costs was brought to attention in a brief statement by S. H. A. Perrin. The figures presented easily proved that the teachers have not had a fair deal in this matter of salaries and if Jacksonville expects to keep teachers from going to other cities the salary increases must come.

A committee was named by Chairman Capps to convey to the teachers a statement of Rotary position on this subject. The committee includes Judge Samuel, Charles T. Mackness and H. M. Andre. In addition by separate motion members of the club declared that they would use their best efforts at the election next Saturday to have the majority of the people declare in favor of higher taxes in order to permit the increase in salaries.

Following the discussion of the teachers salary question, which was all one-sided, came brief reports of the inter-city Rotary meeting held recently at Springfield. It was very evident that all the Rotarians who attended this conference found it well worth while and that they returned with Rotary ideas and the purpose of the organization.

Among those who made reports were T. M. Tomlinson, Henry Frisch, A. C. Metcalf, Frank Byrns, E. C. Crabtree, C. F. Ehlin, C. J. Buhrer, F. J. Heintz, Paul Samuel, L. T. Potter, G. H. Kopper, F. J. Blackburn, Walter Ayers, W. E. Collins, J. W. Hubbard.

Mr. Perrin in his succinct statement showing the needs for higher salaries had the following to say:

**Civic Reform.** The problem which I have been asked to present at this time is one of civic character. As such it must be met by an open-minded hearing from everyone. I say everyone because I know that there is not a person within the sound of my voice who is not interested in the present and future welfare of our city. In the time allotted me I shall necessarily be brief and as concise as possible.

The Board of Education, after careful thought and investigation of needs, resources and school conditions, has presented to the community in accordance with the law, the proposition which stated non-technically is, "Shall the Board of Education be authorized to levy a 2% tax for educational purposes?" This means an increase of 2-3% for educational purposes.

**The School Revenue Law.** The school law as passed by the last legislature and approved by the governor states that up to 1-5% may be levied for educational purposes. It further provides that by a majority vote cast at a stated election, the Board of Education may be authorized to levy up to 2% for educational purposes.

In this connection it should be stated that the law also specifically provides that the total limit for both educational and building purposes cannot exceed 2-3%. These funds are entirely separate according to the present law.

The law provides that all expenditures for general control, business offices, supplies, compulsory attendance, elections, instruction and supervision of all kinds, operating, health supervision and other general activities be paid out of the fund designated as the educational fund. It further provides that there cannot be an interchange of money from one fund to the other. Thus all school expenditures, with the exception of expenditures, classes in building and repairs, now must be paid from the educational fund.

**Costs Have Increased.** During the past few years costs have increased in every line. The business men who are here assembled are perfectly aware of that fact. It is true not only in business, but in every line of activity. Overlooking to running a store or large industry, the dollar of pre-war days is not the dollar of today. It is no different in regard to the operation, maintenance and instruction, etc., of the public schools. These costs have all increased right along with the other costs.

**Salaries Need Readjusting.** Just as in all other business where the personal factor is the prime necessity, the salary expense is a large item in school educational expenditures. Salaries of teachers, janitors and other workers must be adjusted so that a reasonable living is guaranteed. This should need no argument. If the instruction of our children is to be efficient, if trained teachers are to be secured and held in our school system, if they are to give a whole hearted service they must receive a salary that will enable them to live decently and leave them free to give their whole attention to their work. We know all too well who suffers in the final check up when teachers are restless, underpaid, and worry about getting along. It is our children who bear the burden. The salaries in Jacksonville are low as compared with other school systems which compete for good teachers. We should always remember, "As the teacher so the school."

The Board of Education has done all within its power to pay these teachers adequate salaries. The limited fund has been felt in Jacksonville just as it has been felt in other cities. Our only remedy is just the same kind of

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remedy that these other cities are taking; namely, using the provisions of the law.

**Already Adopted in Many Cities.** A casual survey of the State of Illinois shows that since this law was passed practically all cities of any size have had to resort to it or lower the standard of teaching and decrease the efficiency of their school systems.

If we take a strip of territory across this part of the state we find that the cities as a rule have passed this same provision that the board is now presenting to the people of Jacksonville. Among these cities may be named—Pekin, Quincy, Rock Island, Moline, Aurora, Springfield, Decatur, Champaign, Urbana, Decatur, Mattoon, Danville and others that may be mentioned. Numerous other cities such as Bloomington, Galesburg, etc., are now voting upon this same proposition. It is, in fact, the only means of relief.

**Budget System Used.** The Board of Education has consistently made a budget of actual needs and published the same so that the public might have first hand information as to the needs and expenditures of the school system. The budget determines the actual tax levy (never) is any more levied than budget needs show, and during my connection with the schools the board has always lived within the budget as has been shown by the financial statement published at the close of every school year.

**Conclusion.** I have endeavored to place before you the actual needs of the public school system, the way that the law provides for relief and the fact that this is the method that other cities all about us already have adopted to meet the situation. I feel confident that with your interest in the welfare of Jacksonville, in an efficient system of public schools and in the welfare of the boy and girl life of our community, that you will give this every possible consideration.

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Members of the committee representing the maintenance employees, however, denied this but declared there had been no decision to call off the strike which has been set for Tuesday.

After Mr. Hines had given the administration's final word to Mr. Lee's organization, the trainmen's president announced he regarded the White House decision "as binding on our union as well as the others." Although Mr. Lee declined to discuss the next move he would make, it was understood he would not break from the other organization's line.

It was indicated also that he would permit the wage agreement, notice of abrogation of which was given for February 23, to remain in effect until the termination of federal control.

The general attitude of the union officials, after being made acquainted with the president's statement in a conference on the south lawn of the white house was plainly one of disappointment. Some of them were openly dissatisfied but the more conservative leaders urged that they bide their time in the hope of success along other lines.

It was understood Mr. Hines had told the public that the railroad earnings were insufficient to take care of a new pay raise. The director general was said to have informed Mr. Wilson also that the railroad administration had adopted a policy last fall which ended the "war cycle" of increasing the pay of its men and that any further revision in the wage agreements could be made only if there was more revenue provided.

Many union officials were preparing to leave Washington tomorrow. Several conferences were scheduled for early tomorrow but union officials who were to attend expected only routine matters to be taken up.

## Correspondence Between Wilson and Secretary of State Lansing

(Continued from Page One.)

in this, but if I did it was with the best of motives. When I returned to Washington in the latter part of July, 1919, my personal wish to resign had not changed but again I felt that loyalty to you and my duty to the administration compelled me to defer action as my resignation might have been misconstrued into hostility to the ratification of the treaty of peace or at least into disapproval of your views as to the form of ratification. I therefore remained silent, avoiding any comment on the frequent reports that we were not in full agreement. Subsequently your serious illness, during which I have never seen you, imposed upon me the duty—at least I construed it to be my duty—to remain in charge of the department of state until your health permitted you to assume again full direction of foreign affairs.

Believing that the time had arrived, I had prepared my resignation when my only doubt as to the propriety of placing it in your hands was removed by your letter indicating that it would be entirely acceptable to you. I think, Mr. President, in accordance with the frankness which has marked this correspondence and for which I am grateful to you that I cannot permit to pass unchallenged the imputation that in calling upon me for my resignation, you were in any way questioning my loyalty or my ability to perform my duty.

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Members of the committee representing the maintenance employees, however, denied this but declared there had been no decision to call off the strike which has been set for Tuesday.

After Mr. Hines had given the administration's final word to Mr. Lee's organization, the trainmen's president announced he regarded the White House decision "as binding on our union as well as the others." Although Mr. Lee declined to discuss the next move he would make, it was understood he would not break from the other organization's line.

It was indicated also that he would permit the wage agreement, notice of abrogation of which was given for February 23, to remain in effect until the termination of federal control.

The general attitude of the union officials, after being made acquainted with the president's statement in a conference on the south lawn of the white house was plainly one of disappointment. Some of them were openly dissatisfied but the more conservative leaders urged that they bide their time in the hope of success along other lines.

It was understood Mr. Hines had told the public that the railroad earnings were insufficient to take care of a new pay raise. The director general was said to have informed Mr. Wilson also that the railroad administration had adopted a policy last fall which ended the "war cycle" of increasing the pay of its men and that any further revision in the wage agreements could be made only if there was more revenue provided.

Many union officials were preparing to leave Washington tomorrow. Several conferences were scheduled for early tomorrow but union officials who were to attend expected only routine matters to be taken up.

gratification to me always to remember our delightful personal relations.

Sincerely yours,  
(Signed),  
WOODROW WILSON.  
Hon. Robert Lansing,  
Secretary of State.

## LANSING QUILTS PRESIDENT'S CABINET

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preme court, and Thomas Watt Gregory, who served as attorneys general; William Gibbs McAdoo and Carter Glass, who served as secretaries of the treasury, and William C. Redfield of the department of commerce.

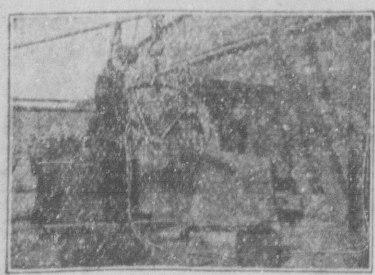
## SENATE OPPOSES SALE OF FORMER GERMAN LINERS

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the ships for sale, the board ascertained: (a)—That to make them over from troop to passenger ships, as must be done, twenty of these to be sold, will cost \$57,000,000 and the others in the same proportion. We did not deem it wise to make such an expenditure of public money.

(b)—In view of prohibition and of the actual conditions, the board deemed it probable that passenger ships could not be operated by the shipping board at a profit—indeed it





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### OMNIBUS WANTED

WANTED—Several loads cut timber, suitable for car stakes. Call Ill. phone 1020, Bell phone No. 10. 2-8-6t

WANTED—100 light hogs, J. W. Arnold, Arnold, Ill. 1-23-tf

WANTED—Rag rug and carpet weaving. Ill. phone 50-988. W. R. Carson, 807 Ashland avenue. 2-4-12t

WANTED—Pruning, orchards, small fruits, shrubbery and grape vines. A. W. Baldwin, Call Ill., 50-1064. 2-10-1mo

WANTED TO BUY—Brooder in good condition, about 200 chick size. Call Bell 917-1. 2-13-2t

WANTED—Stove and furniture repairing; furniture refinished. Ill. Phone 1690. Bell 490. 740 E. North street, Louis Imboden. 2-2-tf

WANTED—Good warm room; within two or three blocks of court house. Address "O. D." Care Journal. 2-13-3t

WANTED TO RENT—5 or 6 room house on or close to South Main. Address "House" care Journal. 2-14-6t

WANTED—To buy Rose Comb White Wyandotte hens, Hiram Huff, 514 W. Webster Ave. 2-14-2t

WANTED—To buy 5 or 6 room modern house on west side. Describe property and state terms. Address "Five" care Journal. 2-13-3t

WANTED—The man who took a brown Stetson hat by mistake at the Rialto Theatre Friday evening to return it to the Douglas Hotel.

WANTED—Watch and clock repairing; guaranteed main springs, \$1.00. Jacksonville Manufacturing Jeweler, upstairs, 225 1/2 East State street. 1-26-tf

### HELP WANTED

WANTED—Maid. Dunlap Hotel. 2-13-2t

WANTED—Waiter. Dunlap Hotel. 2-13-2t

WANTED—Girl for light factory work; steady work. Call Ill. phone 844. 2-13-3t

WANTED—Girls. Grand Laundry. 2-3-tf

WANTED—Some one to do family washing. Call after 5. 333 South Clay. 2-13-3t

WANTED—Seamstress on ladies' work. Apply S. Green over Gilbert's Pharmacy. 2-14-3t

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Bell Phone 445. 2-13-6t

WANTED—Single man to work on farm. Good place for right party. Call Illinois Phone 6225. 2-13-tf

WANTED—Competent white woman or girl to take care of two children. Ill. phone 149. 2-13-tf

WANTED—Married man, experienced farm hand. Bell phone 944-2. 1-30-tf

YOUNG MEN 18-35 for Railway Mail Clerks. \$1,300-\$1,500. Experience unnecessary. Examinations Jacksonville Jan. 17. For free particulars, write R. Terry (former Civil Service Examiner) 635 Continental Bldg., Washington, D. C. 12-27-tf

WANTED—To sell \$15,000.00 note, secured by mortgage on 160 acres fine farm lands. Inquire at Room 4, Duncan Building, Jacksonville, Ill. 2-8-6t

WANTED—To rent by March 1, five or seven-room house with barn or garage. Osie Dube, New Berlin, Route 3. 2-8-6t

WANTED—Married man with small family to work on farm. Illinois phone 5331. 2-8-tf

WANTED—A good respectable woman between 25 and 40 years of age to assist in general housework on a farm in family of five. Mrs. E. L. Sweet, Franklin, Ill. 2-12-2t

WANTED—Young women to learn nursing. No experience necessary. Receive salary while in training. Grammar school education. Apply Jefferson Park Hospital, 1402 W. Monroe st., Chicago, Ills. 2-12-3t

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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished housekeeping rooms; separate entrance. Also good garage. Apply 408 East State Street. 1-22-1mo.

FOR RENT—Five room cottage. Key at Frank Koenig's, 719 Pearl street. 2-8-7t

FOR RENT—Desirable room with board in modern home; convenient location. West Side, Illinois Phone 50-1464. 2-8-tf

FOR SALE—Flour, shorts, bran, salt, kornfalfa hog feed, kornfalfa dairy feed, tankage. Carterville coal. Joy Prairie and Concord elevators. 2-11-12t.

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Houses always. The Johnston Agency. 2-1-tf.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping—close in. Address 21, care Journal. 2-14-3t

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Malleable steel range and German heater, good condition. 740 East North street. 1-27-tf

FOR SALE—Fresh milk, delivered daily. Ill. Phone 60-756. 2-12-6t

FOR SALE—Young eligible Durac boar. T. A. Ferreira. 1-14-tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—1 have some good farms and city property for sale or trade. What have you to offer? S. T. Erickson. 2-21-tf

FOR SALE—Car load of walnut logs, white oak fence posts. Ill. phone 077, Woodson. 1-27-1mo.

FOR BEST GRADE ROOFING at lowest possible prices call the Blackburn Elevator. 12-20-tf.

FOR SALE—Side board, 506 S. Main st. 2-11-4t

FOR SALE—Incubator; nearly new. Ill. phone 1025. 2-11-4t.

FOR SALE—Fine level, 347 acre Wayne county, Illinois stock and grain farm. Grows 60 bu. corn or 2 ton timothy per acre. Price \$70 per acre. Frank Moore, Wayne City, Ill. 2-11-10t.

FOR SALE—Texas seed oats. Joe Helliwell, Woodson, Ill. Illinois Phone Woodson 5. 2-13-4t

FOR SALE—Holstein, Shorthorn heifer calf. Mrs. Gunn, Illinois 70-45. 2-14-tf

FOR SALE—Household goods and chickens. Adolph Floryanowich, 920 North Diamond St. 2-13-tf

FOR SALE—12 shoats, 1130 Allen Ave. 2-14-6t.

FOR SALE—Modern home for right party. Must sell at once. Leaving city. Address "Modern", Journal. 2-14-3t

FOR SALE—Six room house, lot 85x200 ft., large barn, buggy shed, coal shed, two wells and a cistern, in fine location. Cheap if taken at once. 503 North Diamond st. 2-11-6t.

FOR SALE—Smooth head wheat straw. J. T. Mandeville, Woodson, Illinois phone. 2-10-6t

FOR SALE—Modern 7 room house and three lots, 702 E. State, Apply E. H. Doolin, 403 N. Main. 2-12-tf.

FOR SALE—One Buckeye incubator, 128 Capacity Standard Colony brooder, 500 chick capacity. Ill. phone 1001. 138 Howe street. 2-8-tf

FOR SALE—Eggs. Baby chicks of highest quality. Barred Plymouth Rock and S. C. W. Leghorns. Write or phone me. Thos. M. Stubblefield, Jacksonville, Ill. Bell phone 970-3. 1-25-1mo

FOR SALE—A No. 1 8-room house, concrete basement, new garage. West side. Call Illinois phone 1660. 1-10-tf

FOR SALE—Seventy tons of ensilage in silo. Can stay until September 1st. Illinois phone 1660. 1-10-tf

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FOR SALE—Cow coming fresh March 1st. 544 Brooklyn Ave. 2-3-tf

FOR SALE—House, 7 rooms, light and furnace; good location. Address J. K., care Journal. 1-28-tf

FOR SALE—Charter Oak range; good condition. 740 E. North street. 2-6-4t

FOR SALE—4 pigs, 7 months old. 316 Franklin, Ill. Phone 915. 2-8-6t

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FOR SALE—Modern 8 room house with bath, 213 N. Church street. Call City Elevator, Ill. phone 8; Bell phone 176 or Bell phone 552. 1-25-tf.

FOR SALE—House and lot, 216 North East street. 1-3-tf

FOR SALE—80 acres, all in cultivation, fine improvements, one mile good market; fine home; possession, \$185. Address Owner, this office. 2-7-tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Five passenger touring car in first class condition. Apply 123 East Morton avenue, or Illinois phone 50-947. 1-16-tf

FOR SALE—Timothy hay, choice. Lawrence Flynn, Route 3, City. 2-8-tf

FOR SALE—7-room house, lot 60x180, on South Main street. House partly modern. Address "Five" care Journal. 2-13-3t

FOR SALE—Completely modern eight room house, fine condition, paved street, barn, garage, out houses, lot 80x275. Apply in person at 747 S. Church st. 2-12-6t

FOR SALE—House and lot in Alexander. Apply to Jack Walsh, Jacksonville or J. C. Ewen, Alexander. 2-12-6t

FOR SALE—Two coal ranges, 217 Brown St. 2-12-6t

FOR SALE—Old Trusty incubator; good condition. Ill. phone 60-1373. 2-11-6t.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Store room, 325 West State street, now occupied by Gilliam Undertaking parlors. Lot extends thru to Court street which can be included if desired. Inquire W. C. Bradish, owner, 1130 West College avenue. 2-8-tf

FOR SALE—1 gray Jersey cow age 4 with nice heifer calf, 7 weeks old, 1 brown half Jersey, age 6, with little red heifer calf, 2 weeks old, 1 red short horn, age 3, with nice bull calf, 5 weeks old. F. V. Correa, 865 East State st., Ill. Phone 424. 2-12-6t

FOR SALE—Have quit farming. One pair Percheron mares, coming four and five years old; 1 team farm horses, mare and horse, coming five and seven years old; 1 black horse, 1400 lbs., ten years old; - driving mare, 8 years old. Can be seen at corner of Hardin and Michigan Ave. Bell phone 357. 2-14-tf

FARM FOR SALE—80 acres good land, 1 1/2 mile or city. Goodhouse, Ill. 1 1/2 mile school; 8-room house, good cellar; 2 wells, cistern; milk, wash and smoke house—concrete floors; barn, 6 head horses, 16 cows; sheds; good young orchard. Price \$250.00 an acre, 1-2 down, 6 per cent on remainder. Possession, Par Curtis Brickey, White Hall, Ill., Ill. Phone 444. 2-8-tf

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LOST—Light brown purse containing \$30 check and about \$20 in currency. Finder leave at Journal office. Reward. 2-13-3t

STRAYED—White English bull dog. Reward for return or information of whereabouts of dog. Call Ill. phone 1655. 2-12-tf

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE Estate of David O. Tuke, deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed administratrix of the estate of David O. Tuke, late of the County of Morgan and State of Illinois, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Morgan County, at the Court House in Jacksonville, at the April term, on the first Monday in April next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 13th day of February A. D. 1920.

BERTHA G. TUKE, Administratrix.

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ANNOUNCEMENT I hereby announce myself a candidate for commissioner in road district No. 7 at the election to be held April 6th, 1920.

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### BRADSTREET REVIEWS BUSINESS FOR WEEK

New York, Feb. 13.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say: "Cautionary signals displayed last week by the foreign exchange, money, securities, grain and provision markets later joined by the big primary lines of textiles, particularly cotton and woolen goods, are still in evidence and the area of country representing conversation more market has widened somewhat. This is most perceptible in the large centers of the east and central west. This is aided appreciably in the west by tighter money and the fears of a possible country wide slump of traffic if the predicted strike of railway employees (maintenance of way and shop workers) should occur. The quieting down is still little in evidence in the big consuming districts of the west and south and is not unanimous, not even in the east and central west as shown by the strength of demand and of prices noted in the big basic industries such as iron and steel and lumber in which buyers are bidding eagerly.

"Weekly bank clearings \$8,928,550,000."

STOCKS RALLY TOWARD CLOSE New York, Feb. 13.—Stocks were subject to additional price impairment in the first half of today's very unsettled dealings, but rallied spiritedly later when demand loans eased to six percent and foreign exchange displayed increased firmness.

It was generally assumed that the further break of the morning resulted primarily from selling orders received in large volume from out of town over the holiday. Offerings of this character were more obvious than at any recent period and proceeded from greater apprehension respecting the attitude of the railway brotherhoods.

The rally was led by oils and shippings, where extreme gains of 3 to 10 points were scored. Steels, equipments and motors also made up most of their losses, the extent of their rebound ranging from 2 to 12 points.

Shorts were badly punished in General Motors and Crucible Steel, the former regaining its 9 1/2 point loss and an additional



JERSEYVILLE WINE FROM JACKSONVILLE

Visitors Win From Local Cripples By Score of 27 to 19—Only Two Regulars, Molohon and Green in Game.

Jerseyville defeated Jacksonville in David Prince gymnasium Friday night by a score of 27 to 19. The victory did not speak well for the ability of Jerseyville, however as Coach Hartford's team is literally shot to pieces by sickness.

Molohon, Geen and Woods were the only regulars in the game last night. Woods who is not fully recovered from his recent illness was forced to leave the game before the first quarter ended while Green went to the side lines for four personal fouls in the second half.

It was consensus of opinion of those who have seen Jacksonville play with her full lineup that had Lucas and Hunter been in the game last night Jacksonville would have won by a top heavy score.

As it was the locals staged a great comeback in the second half and outplayed Jerseyville. Had the men been able to hold Jerseyville in the first half and had greater accuracy in hitting the hoop they would have given Jerseyville a hard run.

Gard at guard played a star game for Jacksonville. He fought Jerseyville to a standstill and time and again broke up their play at the basket.

Molohon, Goebel, Green and Hunt scored the points for Jacksonville. For Jerseyville Adams, Seago, Ervin and Fitzgerald were the men who scored the points. The score: Jacksonville—F.G. F.T. Tl. Hunt f..... 1 3 5 Woods f..... 0 0 0 Goebel f..... 0 0 0 Molohon c..... 2 0 4 Green g..... 1 0 2 Deatherage g..... 0 0 0 Gard g..... 0 0 0 Totals..... 8 3 19 Jerseyville—F.G. F.T. Tl. Post f..... 0 0 0 Adams f..... 0 5 5 Seago f..... 4 0 8 Ervin c..... 6 0 13 Fitzgerald g..... 0 0 0 Baker g..... 0 0 0 Giers g..... 0 0 0 Totals..... 11 5 27 Referee—Harmon, Illinois College.

APPLES MORE APPLES This time — Winesaps, York Imperials and Mo. Pippins. A small lot about 250 bushels good eating stock, sound and good size, at \$2.50 per bushel delivered. Order early. W. S. CANNON PRO. CO. Both Phones 197.

FINE PAINTINGS TO BE SHOWN AT WOMAN'S COLLEGE The arrangements are practically completed for the Indiana Circuit exhibit to be shown beginning this afternoon at the school of fine arts, Illinois Woman's college. Miss Nellie Kopf, director, was in charge of the placing of the paintings, some of which are the work of her own hands.

The exhibit is being made at the expense of the college faculty and students, the purpose being to instill in the public a keener interest in the work of American artists. The subjects are of a wide variety and all who view the collection will be amply repaid.

Thru an arrangement with Supt. H. A. Perrin the children of the public schools are to have an opportunity to view the paintings. A schedule has been arranged which will permit all the pupils of the public schools of the city to visit the college during the hours that the exhibit is on view.

FLOUNCING Odd lots, 42 and 45 inch embroidered flouncing, 48c and 95c yard. This lot is less than half price. Torchon lace and insertions, 2 1/2c and 5c yard. F. J. WADDELL & CO.

JOHN L. WHITMAN TO ADDRESS COMMUNITY FORUM John L. Whitman, state superintendent of prisons and formerly superintendent of the Chicago Bridewell, will be the speaker at the community forum at the Congregational church tomorrow evening. Mr. Whitman's subject will be "The Spirit of the Law," and those who hear him have a treat in prospect.

WANTED Girls over 16 for wrapping butter. Apply Superintendent, Swift & Co.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank our friends and relatives for the sympathy and acts of kindness shown, and the floral offerings given during the recent illness and after the death of our wife and mother, Charles E. Williams, and children.

WANTED Experienced salesladies. J. Deppe Co.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank the friends on their kindness during the illness and death of our beloved wife and mother. Also for the many beautiful flowers. Thos. Tisingten, Pehrson Sooy, Edwin Sooy, Louis Sooy.

WINCHESTER

Winchester, Feb. 13.—J. C. Neat was a business visitor in St. Louis Thursday. Edward Ritchie, Jr., returned to his home in Indianapolis Thursday night, having been called here by the death of his father, Edward Ritchie.

Mrs. Olive Bodwell of Waterloo, Iowa, arrived in the city Friday afternoon, called by the death of her brother, Charles Williams.

Mrs. Verne Halbert of White Hall, arrived in the city today for a visit with her husband, who is employed at the Buick garage. The funeral of John Lankford was held from the Christian church this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Elder J. H. Coats officiating. At the close of the funeral sermon the G. A. R. carried out the funeral ritual of the order in the church. Burial was in Winchester cemetery, the bearers being Frank Cowick, Verlin Summers, William Eddings, Berry Cowick, Roy Berry and John English Jr.

The Masonic lodge held a meeting Thursday afternoon and evening and the third degree was conferred on Roy Phares, Berry Cowick and Joe Cowick. Following the work, refreshments were served.

Mrs. Charles Williams arrived Friday night with the remains of her husband who died in Memphis, Tenn. The body was taken to the home of his mother, Mrs. M. E. Williams. No funeral arrangements have yet been made.

Anticipate your Spring furniture and rug needs now during our big First Semi-Annual Sale; splendid bargains and DOUBLE Stamps. People's Furniture Co., 209 So. Sandy.

NORMAL WILL PLAY ILLINOIS COLLEGE

Teachers will Hook Up With Harmon's Squad Tonight—Visitors Have Lost Only Two Games, These to Millikin. Illinois State Normal will be the opponent of Illinois college in David Prince gymnasium tonight. The teachers come here touted as one of the strongest teams in the Little Nineteen conference. They have lost only two games and those were to Millikin.

Among the victories to the credit of Normal is one over Wesleyan on the latter's floor. Coach Harmon says that any team that can turn this trick must be accounted a dangerous opponent, as Wesleyan always plays her best at home.

Normal has an exceptionally well balanced team this year. Mohr who was selected as an all conference guard last year by the critics is now playing a forward position and is one of the main cogs in Normal's offense.

Westhoff who was a star on the football team last fall is playing center. He is said to show the same brilliancy on the basketball court that he did on the football field. Another star of the Normal team is a colored man, named Ward. He is said to be an exceptional guard and plays a clean fast game and is seldom penalized for fouling.

Coach Harmon will use the same combination that he had against Millikin. While the combination did not look good against Millikin the coach believes it will show more scoring ability tonight.

Since the Millikin game the squad has been working out at the Y. gymnasium because of the college Gym being taken for the Junior prom. He has been drilling the men on passing and hopes for better results.

The lineup to start tonight will be, Culley and Antrobus, forwards, Mellon center, Andrew and Mutch guards, Martin of Kansas University will referee.

Brown, Green, Nutra, Pearl and other shades of men's light weight Hats shown for spring by FRANK BYRNS will please many men.

REV. E. B. LANDIS SUFFERING FROM COLD An item which appeared in the Journal Friday morning was to the effect that Rev. E. B. Landis, pastor of Westminster church, was an influenza victim. This was an error, as Mr. Landis is merely suffering from a cold and expects to be able to conduct church services as usual Sunday.

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ROUT HIGH TAKES SPALDING INTO CAMP

Defeat Fast Visiting Team by Score of 16 to 15—Route shows Excellent Team Work and Have Edge on Visitors.

Route high won the right to be called champions of the Catholic high schools of the state by defeating Spalding high of Peoria in Liberty hall Friday night by a score of 16 to 15.

The game was lightning fast from start to finish and the result was in doubt until the last two minutes of play. The score was 15 to 14 in favor of Spalding. Then Zell, Route forward tossed a basket putting Route in the lead by one point.

Route easily had the edge on the visitors and played them off their feet. The team played together as one man and it was this team work that finally spelled victory.

Zell and Carson were the chief cogs in Route's offense. But every man on the team deserves credit for the victory as Mandeville and Woulfe did some great guarding and Costello more than held his own with the Spalding center.

The game was witnessed by a large crowd and the spectators were in a wild state of excitement thruout the contest.

The Spalding team has not met defeat this season and the victory is all the more creditable to Coach Conlin's men for that reason. Route seems to have struck her true form and if the men play as they did last night they should win all their remaining games.

Spalding presented a well balanced team. Donnelly at center and Seury at guard were the chief point makers. Seury has been a star in Spaulding's offensive game this year. However, the Route guards kept him so well covered that he only got two baskets while Speck one of the forwards did not connect at all. The Score: Spalding—F.G. F.T. Tl. Goddard f..... 1 0 2 Speck f..... 0 0 0 Donnelly c..... 1 1 7 Seury g..... 2 0 7 Dries g..... 1 0 2 Totals..... 7 1 15 Route—F.G. F.T. Tl. Zell f..... 4 0 8 Carson f..... 3 0 6 Costello c..... 1 0 2 Woulfe g..... 0 0 0 Mandeville g..... 0 0 0 Totals..... 8 0 16 Referee—Andrew, Illinois College.

APPLES MORE APPLES This time — Winesaps, York Imperials and Mo. Pippins. A small lot about 250 bushels good eating stock, sound and good size, at \$2.50 per bushel delivered. Order early. W. S. CANNON PRO. CO. Both Phones 197.

FUNERAL NOTICES Funeral services for W. H. Cooper will be held from Concord M. E. church at 10 o'clock Sunday morning in charge of the Rev. Thomas Symons. Burial will be in Concord cemetery. The funeral of Robert Talkemeyer will be held from St. Peter's Lutheran church north of Arenaville at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon in charge of Rev. A. C. Gorten. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

PUBLIC SALE At farm 3 miles southwest White Hall, Tuesday, Feb. 17, fill sell 12 mules, 5 to 8 yrs. old, fat and ready for market; 14 horses, 70 steers, 100 Shropshire bred ewes, etc. FRED BAKER.

NOTES FROM CENSUS ENUMERATOR'S OFFICE Twenty-six of the 132 enumerators of the 20th Congressional District have not yet finished their work. The incomplete returns have passed the 164,000 mark. The fifth family of eleven or more children has been reported. It is one of nine boys and two girls. They range from seventeen months to twenty-one years in age and are all living at home.

ANNUAL SALE J. W. Arnold's annual horse and mule sale, Arnold Station, five miles east of Jacksonville, on Wednesday, Feb. 25. Sixty mules and 35 horses.

HOG RAISERS Don't take a chance. Remember last year's enormous hog losses due to disease. Protect your hog profits by insuring in the Old Line National Insurance Co. Pigs insured at reasonable rates for any number of months. Insure your hogs until ready for market if too expensive to vaccinate them and don't forget the brood sows. HOMER CULLY, DR. A. C. BOLLE

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GRIMMETT CASE IS CONTINUED The case of Alva Grimmett, charged with burglary and larceny, was called in Justice Dyer's court Friday morning. The defense asked for a continuance until Monday, February 16, which was granted.

EMERGENCY WING AT HOSPITAL IS OPENED

Influenza Cases Now Being Cared for in Emergency Wing at Passavant Hospital—Miss Austin in Active Charge of Work.

The emergency "wing" at Passavant hospital was yesterday opened and there are already a number of cases of influenza being cared for there. The work of preparation was in charge of the Red Cross special committee appointed to act in the flu epidemic, in conjunction with the executive board of Passavant hospital.

The work at the wing will be under the general direction of Miss Good, superintendent of Passavant hospital, and Miss Austin, the Red Cross nurse, will have active charge. Miss Loving has been released from her duties as tuberculosis nurse and will be in charge of Miss Austin's work in the field.

A number of applications have already been received from Alexander and other nearby towns, and the work is by no means to be limited to the city of Jacksonville.

Rev. W. E. Collins, chairman of the Red Cross committee, announced last night that the work of furnishing the emergency wing will be rushed to completion and the committee expects to have an adequate force of trained nurses available for the care of all influenza cases. The various physicians of the city and county are co-operating in the movement, and it is the hope that the epidemic can soon be brought under control.

SPECIAL TOILET ARTICLES 50c Pepsodent Tooth Paste..... 39c 50c Febeco Tooth Paste..... 39c 35c Seneco Tooth Paste..... 29c 35c Kolynos Tooth Paste..... 29c 50c Listerine..... 39c 25c Cuticura Soap..... 19c 15c Peroxide Soap..... 10c 15c Creme Oil Soap..... 10c 50c Jergens Lotion..... 29c 35c Kerodoff French Talc..... 19c 25c Squibbs Talc..... 19c 50c First Love Sachet..... 25c Colgate's Talc..... 8c Lazelle, Mennen, and Williams Talcs..... 15c 15c and 25c bottles Perfume..... 10c Prophylactic Tooth Brush..... 29c F. J. WADDELL & CO.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS Nora Belle Smith to James McKee, pt. west half northwest quarter southeast quarter 11-13-8, \$1,000. Nora Belle Smith to George H. Ritter, pt. lot 1, Charles D. McCasland's addition to Waverly, \$200.

Cornelius Herman to Charles Herman, lots 15, 16 and 17, etc., in Yates addition to Jacksonville, \$1. J. W. Walton, trustee to Richard S. Wood, pt. southwest quarter 26-15-10, \$1625.

TODAY'S SPECIALS Pecan Roll..... 60c Almond Brittle..... 60c Black Walnut Brittle..... 60c Chocolate Cream Roll..... 40c Special Brick..... 30c Jumbo Salted Peanuts..... 40c Salted Almonds..... 90c Cheating Kisses..... 30c Roasted Peanuts, 3 oz..... 5c Salted Peanuts, 2 1/2 oz..... 5c American Chocolates..... 50c Jelly Squares..... 30c Peanut Bar..... 35c Chocolate Creams..... 30c Jelly Gum Drops..... 30c Raisin Cluster..... 50c Peanut Cluster..... 45c Choc. Dip Caramels..... 40c Neugat..... 40c AMERICAN CANDY SHOP 208 South Main St.

PUBLIC SALE At farm 1 1/2 miles southwest of city, Feb. 17, commencing at 11 a. m., consisting of horses, mules, cattle, sheep, hogs, farm implements. THOMAS LACEY.

MRS. EDWARD GRAY SERIOUSLY ILL Mrs. Edward Gray is seriously ill at her home in Oregon, according to a message received yesterday by Mrs. George C. Guthrie. Mr. Gray, who is a nephew of Mrs. Guthrie, formerly made his home in this city with his grandmother, Mrs. Frances Braun. He will be remembered by a large number of local people, all of whom will regret to know of the illness in his family.

The Alexander Co-Operative Grain Company will sell at Public Auction the livery barn formerly belonging to C. M. Strawn on Monday, Feb. 16th at 2 o'clock at Alexander. C. M. Strawn, Auctioneer.

NOTICE I hereby announce myself candidate for Road Commissioner, Road District No. 6. Election April 6th. Walter Angelo.

CLOSING OUT SALE Monday, Feb. 16, 1920, 10:30, at farm 7 miles south of Jacksonville and one mile northwest of Woodson—horses, mules, cattle, hogs, corn, hay, oats and farm implements. E. W. SORRELLS

JUNIOR PROM WAS GIVEN FRIDAY NIGHT

Dance Given by Class of '21 of Illinois College One of Season's Social Events — Gymnasium Beautifully Decorated For Occasion.

The annual Junior Prom given by the class of '21 of Illinois College in the Gymnasium Friday night was one of the social events of the season.

Despite the fact that it was Friday and the 13th, about seventy couples were in attendance and a program of twenty numbers with many extras was danced. Music was furnished by Randall's orchestra and the dancing continued until the early hours of the morning.

The program opened with the grand march which was led by Homer Thompson, president of the class and James M. Barnes, chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements.

The members of the committee in addition to Mr. Barnes were: W. Adams, J. M. Badger, E. E. Smith, H. Struck, E. Thibaud and G. White. Nothing was overlooked to make the affair an unqualified success.

The patronesses were: Mesdames Itammelkamp, Hayden, Ames, Scott, Swift, Ogden, Pitner, Capps, Ayers, Worthington, Russell, Black, Brady, Goebel, Wilson, Misses Smith, Raetzman, Taylor.

The class had made elaborate plans for decorations and the result was all that could be asked. The walls of the gymnasium were covered with white on which was fastened red hearts, the class cutting three thousand for the occasion.

The windows were arranged to represent various playing cards. On the wall opposite the entrance were the numerals of the class in large red figures. At the entrance to the gym the words Junior Prom worked out with small red hearts. Wires had been stretched across the gym from wall to wall and on these were suspended toy balloons, and streamers of hearts while the class colors also were to be seen.

At the east end of the room was a space with seats for the patronesses. The also was a lounging room equipped with seats for smoking.

The dressing rooms in the lower part of the gymnasium had been prepared for serving refreshments. This feature was under the direction of the Peacock Inn and the service was excellent. Refreshments were served at midnight and tables were placed to seat forty couples.

The members of the class may well be satisfied with the prom which was a success in every particular and many were heard to say it was the best one ever given.

LADIES UNDER MUSLINS Envelope chemise, \$1-\$1.50. Gowns \$1.50-\$1.75-\$2.00 Petticoats \$1.00-\$1.50 \$2.00

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BASKETBALL AT FRANKLIN TONIGHT Franklin, Feb. 13.—What promises to be one of the most exciting games of basketball ever seen in Franklin will be that tomorrow night between the Marquettes and the Franklin Independents.

Both teams have some fast men and the contest should be full of action to the last whistle. The game will be played in Marquette hall.

Both teams are confident of victory and a hot contest will result. The Seymour brothers will be in the Franklin lines lined up. The teams will line up as follows: Marquettes — Bergschneider, Ryan, forwards; Burchett, center; Rawlings, Gruber, guards. Indies — N. Seymour, W. Seymour, forwards; Sweet, center; Sublett, Stewart, guards.

"KOBZY" DOES IT See the practical semaphore warning signal for autos—fastens to rear fender—shows car following which direction you will turn, or if going to stop. Get one today—play safe—avoid guess work and danger. L. F. O'DONNELL, Paige Dealer, North Sandy Street.

W. H. COCKING BUYS SANDUSKY STREET HOME W. H. Cocking has just completed the arrangements for the purchase of the residence property, 324 and 326 Sandusky street, formerly owned by John A. Schaub. One of the dwellings is now occupied by Mr. Cocking and his family and the other by Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Scarlet.

COMMUNITY FORUM JOHN L. WHITMAN Supt. Illinois Prisons THE SPIRIT OF THE LAW TOMORROW EVENING Congregational Church

There will be services at Union Baptist church Sunday, February 15, both morning and evening. Francis M. Crabtree, pastor.

LOST Lady's gold watch, between Church of Our Savior and square, Friday afternoon. Finder return to Elliott State bank and receive suitable reward.

New Spring Shirts Madras, Bedford Cord and Satin Stripe woven. Madras with alternating neat pencil stripes and soft collars to match \$3.00 to \$5.00 New Spring Hats and Suits are here and on the way. You can buy them now and have the new spring style. MYERS BROTHERS. SENT BOX OF FRUIT FROM FLORIDA Mrs. Margaret Colwell and daughter, Miss Anna, who left Alexander in December to spend the winter months in Orlando, Fla., have sent to relatives in Alexander a box of fine fruits. The box contained oranges and tangerines and it is needless to say that the recipients greatly appreciated the gift. The journeymen in the south write that they are keenly enjoying their visit. LINCOLN PROGRAM BY HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS A special program in honor of Lincoln's birthday was held Thursday on the occasion of the regular bi-weekly assembly at the high school. A number of guests were present to enjoy the program which was given by the sophomores under the direction of Miss Virginia Cumming. The program was as follows: Song, "America" — By company. Recitation—Paul Bowman. Piano Solo—Ruth Dorwart. Recitation, "My Native Land" —Charles Hopper. Lincoln's Gettysburg Address —By company. VERDICT RETURNED IN MRS. WHITLOCK'S DEATH Jury Finds That Deceased Took Lysol with Suicidal Intent. The jury empanelled to inquire into the death of Mrs. Geneva Pearl Whitlock returned a verdict that death was caused by taking lysol with suicidal intent while in a weakened mental and physical condition. The jury met at 7 o'clock Friday evening at the barber shop of Coroner Rose. The only testimony taken was that of T. M. Whitlock, father-in-law and Raymond Whitlock, the dead woman's husband. Both testified that she had been in a bad condition mentally and had threatened to take her own life. The husband said she had at one time said she would have committed suicide but the gun wouldn't work. The members of the jury after hearing the testimony gave the above verdict. WANTED Girls over 16 for wrapping butter. Apply Superintendent, Swift & Co. CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors who helped us during the illness and after the death of our darling baby. Also for the many beautiful flowers. Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Pieper. BEDDING DEPARTMENT 45x36 pillow case, 39c; 72x90 sheet, \$1.55; one lot soiled bed spreads, \$2.25. F. J. WADDELL & CO.

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